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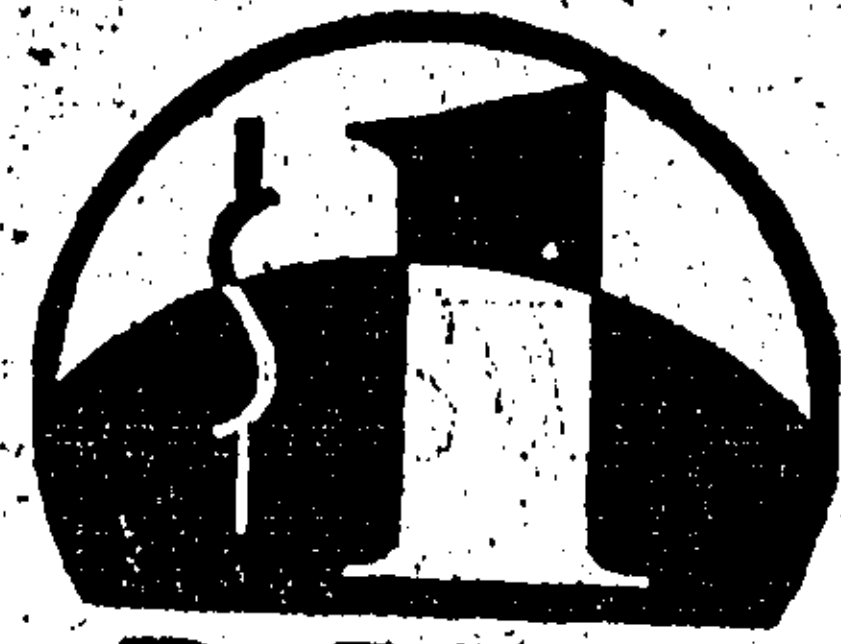
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## REBELS ATTACK COAST CITIES

### MEN-O'-WAR OPEN FIRE

### Loyalists Allegedly Executing Prisoners TROOPS ENTRENCHED FOR SIEGE OF IRUN

Hendaye, Aug. 17.

Rebel warships, ignoring the loyalists' threats to summarily execute 2,000 prisoners, heavily shelled the forts guarding Irun, San Sebastian and Bilbao and the battleship Espana, sister ship to the Government warship, Jaime I, shelled Guadalupe fort, overlooking San Sebastian. Three other warships bombarded other points, and at nightfall the cruiser Almirante Cervera recommenced her attack on San Sebastian, firing heavily at ten minute intervals, while the Espana cruised westward.

It is noteworthy that Fort Guadalupe is filled with dynamite and a direct hit might be catastrophic, as hundreds of political prisoners and other hostages are within the walls of the fortress, including Count Romanones, former adviser to King Alfonso of Spain, it is reported.

Three hundred Spaniards, mostly women and children, have fled from the bombardment, either swimming or by row-boat, and have crossed into France.

Red leaders at Hendaye report that of 1,200 Monarchists and anti-Marxist hostages held at Guadalupe, many were executed at the inception of the shelling.

Rebel forces are converging on the beleaguered towns from land and sea. One column is at present attacking Echodu, and second is in possession of the village of Hernadie, only three miles outside San Sebastian. However, the loyalists forces have prevented the advance of a third column through the mountain passes towards San Sebastian.

The French authorities are investigating the loyalist bombing of the frontier town of Birlatou, to determine whether a protest can be lodged. The Mayor of San Sebastian admits the situation is critical and blamed the shortage of arms and foreign intervention. He denied the reports of great casualties on the loyalist side, and estimated their losses at 200 dead and 500 wounded.

#### General Advance

Irun, Aug. 17.  
Covered by a heavy naval barrage, the rebels have commenced a general advance on the entire north-west front, from Bilbao and Hendaye, through the Bidasoa River Valley towards the sea. Infantry units have reached Irun and have entrenched themselves to await the town's surrender.—United Press.

#### Forts Talk Back

Hendaye, Aug. 17.  
The rebel cruiser Espana continued to bombard San Sebastian to-day until a late hour, but a vigorous reply from Guadalupe Fort indicated that the guns of the Government stronghold were still undamaged. It is reported that the insurgents' advance towards Irun has been accelerated.

Hendaye has witnessed all day an exodus from Puenterrabia, from which the inhabitants are crossing the river in boats laden with all kinds of goods. Some even swam and waded across the river.—Reuter.

#### Italian Landing

Tangier, Aug. 17.  
A diplomatic source to-day reported that the Italian cruiser Eugenio de Savoia on Thursday last landed 100 armed men at Malaga and escorted the Italian Consul and (Continued on Page 5.)

### MAJORCA ATTACK REPELLED

#### REBELS COUNTER FIRST THRUST

London, Aug. 17.

Reports reaching London states that the landing of Government troops at Majorca yesterday proved unsuccessful, the insurgents allowing the landing and then in a fierce counter-attack, slew 500 of the loyalists and took 300 prisoners. Of the 600 British subjects remaining in Spain, about 200 are in Madrid and 100 in Majorca. Union Jacks have been painted on the roofs of the British Embassy at Madrid as a precaution against air raids.—Reuter Bulletin Service.

#### ANOTHER ATTEMPT

Gibraltar, Aug. 17.  
Reports from Majorca state the casualties suffered by the Government forces, which were repulsed by the rebels in the storming of the island, were not so heavy as was at first believed.

All British nationals are reported safe and the cruiser Galatea is standing by to protect British interests. It is reported that Spanish Government will make a fresh attempt to capture the island as soon as possible.—Reuter.

#### LOYALIST CLAIM

London, Aug. 18.  
Late last night the battle at Palma still continued fiercely. The Seville radio, controlled by the rebels, assessed the Government losses at Palma at 200 dead and 600 wounded, and declares the attack was repulsed. The Government at Madrid, however, announces its infantry force, under Captain Bayo, who has distinguished himself elsewhere, is steadily progressing and will soon have subdued the whole island. The Government claims to have captured Gijon.—Reuter.

### ITALY DELAYS ACCORD

#### GERMANY SUPPORTS NEUTRALITY PLAN BUT ROME IS HESITANT

Berlin, Aug. 17.

It is understood the German Government, with certain reservations, has associated itself with the British and French declarations regarding non-intervention in the civil war in Spain.

The German reply to the French plan has been handed to the French Minister at Berlin.—Reuter.

#### PRISONERS FREED

Berlin, Aug. 17.

It is semi-officially announced that all Germans arrested in Spain have now been released, including the crew of the aeroplane seized by the Madrid Government. The releases were achieved after energetic diplomatic representations.—Reuter.

#### ITALY'S POSITION

Rome, Aug. 17.

Difficulties in the way of Italian adherence to the non-intervention pact in Spain were denoted by an official to-day following meetings with Count Ciano, the Foreign Minister, by French and British diplomats. It is stated that Italy desires absolute universal neutrality.

Authoritative circles, however, declare this spirit is not shown by other nations that favour a non-intervention agreement.

It is denied that Italy is procrastinating to gain time for her own ends.—Reuter.

### LATE SUMMER IN ENGLAND

#### TEMPERATURE UP OVER WEEK-END

(Special To "Telegraph")

London, Aug. 17.

Eastern and southern England were basking in the season's first heat wave this week-end.

On Saturday morning, Londoners awoke to the first cloudless, hazy day betokening summer's belated advent.

Over the week-end temperature climbed slowly into the eighties, and the beaches and every resort were crowded with city dwellers who, glum after months of sullen and cloudy weather, were brightening visibly.—Reuter Special.

#### TYPHOON PICTURES

Pictures showing damage and destruction caused ashore and afloat by the typhoon will be found on Page 11 of this issue.

### 24,000 SEE FIGHT FOR EMPIRE TITLE

Jack Petersen to-night lost his British Empire heavyweight boxing crown when he was technically knocked-out in the third round by Ben Foord.

The fight took place at Leicestershire before 24,000 people. Foord started a heavy onslaught with two-handed attacks. He was obviously superior and in the beginning of the second round Petersen sustained an injury to his left eye. In the third round Foord punched the British champion round the ring and sent him to the boards for counts of four and three. Petersen was in a hopeless plight when the referee stopped the fight after eight minutes and 45 seconds. Referee gave his decision after examining Petersen's eye which was streaming with blood.—Reuter.

### Ethiopian Guerillas Undismayed

#### CONTINUE TO WAR ON ITALIANS

#### DR. HYLANDER'S ADVENTURES

Djibouti, Aug. 17.

Dr. Hylander, the heroic commander of the Swedish ambulance unit in Ethiopia, has arrived here with his force after wandering through Ethiopia in an attempt to reach Djibouti en route to Sweden.

Interviewed, Dr. Hylander stated that the war in Ethiopia was not over. Ras Desta and other Ethiopian leaders had sworn ceaseless guerrilla warfare against the conqueror.

Many times the members of the Swedish ambulance staff nearly lost their lives owing to being mistaken by the Ethiopians for Italians.—Reuter Bulletin Service.

#### Recognising Conquest

Addis Ababa, Aug. 17.

The Turkish Charge d'Affaires has left Addis Ababa and has asked the Italian Viceroy, Marshal Graziani, to look after the interests of the Turkish subjects in Ethiopia.

This indicates the first step in the recognition of Italy's conquest of Ethiopia.—Reuter Bulletin Service.

### Sail To Sign New Treaty

#### EGYPT'S DELEGATES ON WAY TO LONDON

Cairo, Aug. 17.

The Egyptian Prime Minister, Nahas Pasha, sailed to-day with the Egyptian delegation to London, from Alexandria, to sign the new Anglo-Egyptian treaty.

The delegation is expected to arrive in England on Sunday and will be the guests of the British Government.

Sir Miles Lampson, the High Commissioner, is also on his way home after negotiations in connection with the Anglo-Egyptian treaty.—Reuter Special.

The Egyptian Premier, Nahas Pasha, and part of the Egyptian delegation to London for the signature of the Anglo-Egyptian treaty, sailed from Alexandria this morning.

The entire delegation is expected to reach London on Sunday. Arrangements have been made for the delegates to stay at the Dorchester Hotel as guests of the British Government, and a programme of hospitality is being arranged.—British Wireless.

### ALTITUDE RECORD

#### FRENCHMAN SETS WORLD MARK

Paris, Aug. 17.

The French alman, Georges Detre has established a new world record for altitude flight, 14,836 metres.

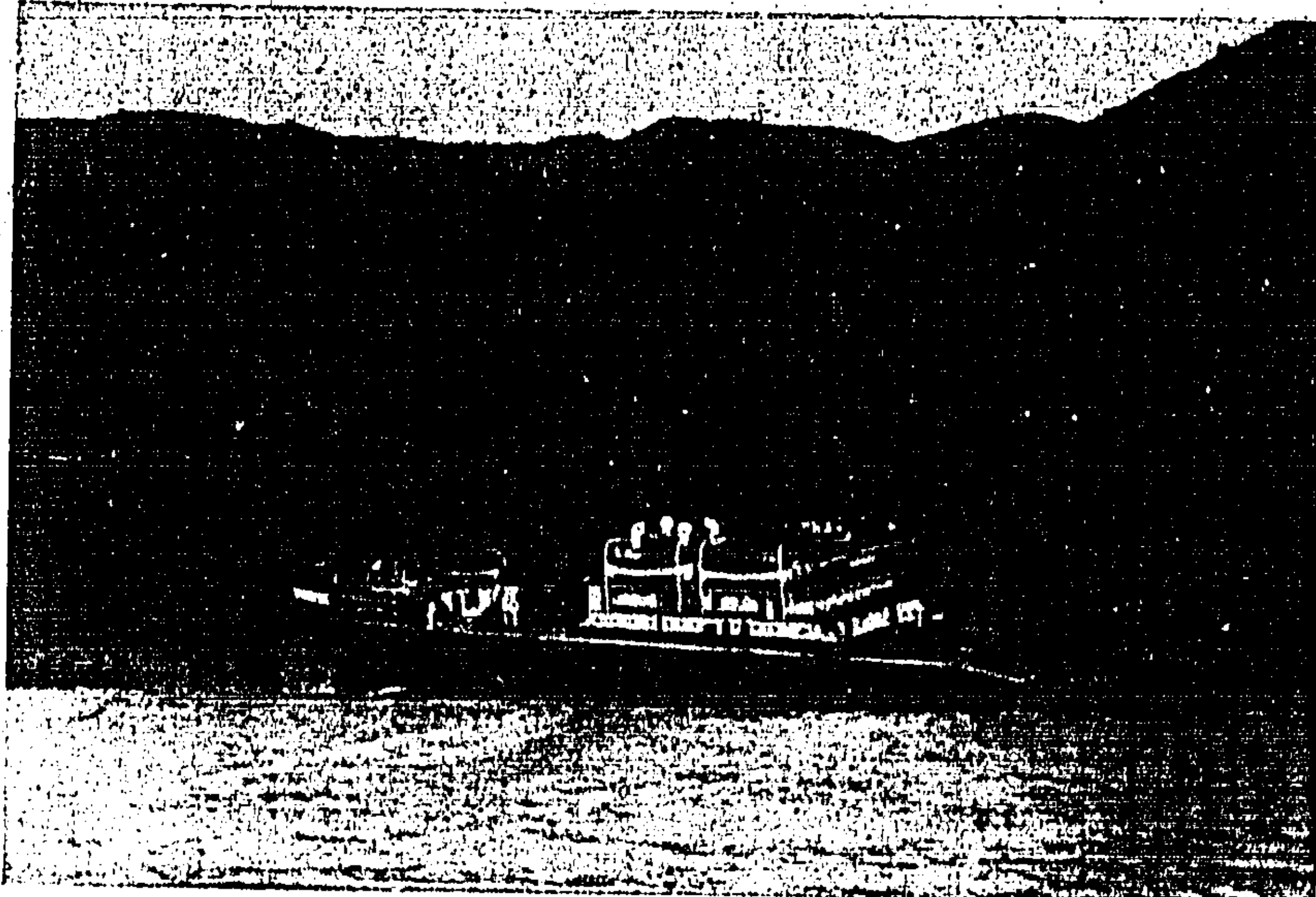
The previous record, 14,433 metres, was set by an Italian alman named Donati in April, 1934.—Reuter.

#### DENMARK'S THANKS

London, Aug. 17.

The Danish Government has expressed its thanks for the prompt assistance recently rendered by the British authorities in connection with the evacuation of Danish and Icelandic subjects from Spain.—British Wireless.

### "SUNNING" A TOTAL WRECK



Picture shows the China Navigation Company's steamer Sunning lying a total wreck in Junk Bay, after she was driven ashore in the typhoon. The fore part of the ship lies some two hundred yards further away, turned completely over. (Photo by Staff Photographer).

### SUNNING WRECK GUARDED BY ONE BRITISH OFFICER

#### STORY OF PASSENGERS' AMAZING ESCAPE

"Telegraph" Staff Reporter

I have just returned from Junk Bay. In and around Hongkong and other parts of the world I have seen many maritime disasters, many wrecks, but none that provided so fantastic a sight as the Sunning.

It is hard to imagine, without seeing, that this once fine vessel of the China Navigation Company's fleet is a mass of grotesquely twisted steel and iron.

Where once stood the foremast is a gaping wound. Two hundred yards away from the after part of the ship is the foredeck, twisted into an unimaginable tangle of iron. At the height of the typhoon it was torn away by mountainous seas as easily as were the limbs of Nathan Road's trees.

An enormous wave lifted the hundreds of tons of metal like a clutching hand and, in three giant somersault movements, carried it to where it lies 'still, strangely enough, topside up, with the mooring rope still neatly coiled in position.

### RADIO CONTEST RESULT

#### KOWLOON RESIDENT WINS PHILCO SET

The "Telegraph" has pleasure to-day in announcing the result of the Popular Radio Programme competition, for which a handsome Philco Console medium-wave set was generously donated as the prize.

No competitors sent in a coupon containing the whole ten items correctly marked in the order of the popular vote; the highest number so marked being five. This figure was reached by

Mr. Charles Sylva,

310 Nathan Road, Kowloon, who therefore wins the splendid prize offered.

Full details of the voting, together with the result of the answers to three questions which were optional to entrants, will be found on Page Seven of this issue.

Numerous suggestions were forwarded by competitors for the improvement of 23W programmes, and these will be classified and the most constructive proposals published in due course.

### TYPHOON STAGGERS MACAO

#### DESOLATION ALONG WATERFRONT EYE-WITNESS TELLS STORY

(By a Special Representative)

Macao, Aug. 17.

Macao has been literally staggered by the worst typhoon which it has experienced within the last fourteen years, the disturbance passing close to the Colony in the early hours of this morning.

The first harbinger of the storm was the hasty return of the big Macao fishing fleet, forming a picturesque procession, as they sailed into harbour, tacking laboriously, with their majestic brown sails spread to the wind. This lasted two hours, and some late comers, unable to find quick anchorage, were blown adrift in the rising gale.

The river steamer, Kin Shan, managed to get away at 5 p.m. but all other craft were detained for the night.

The typhoon seemed to "arrive in person" at midnight, and the wind raged throughout the night, reaching a velocity of 120 miles per hour at times, to the accompaniment of rough seas and heavy rain.

At 7 a.m. the waterfront presented a scene of desolation such as not seen for fourteen years, being submerged by the high tide which rose to within three feet of first floor verandahs, flooding every house and shop in its wake. Further along, a large match-shed (theatre) had collapsed completely in a mass of ruins.

#### WHARVES DISAPPEAR

Slipping wharves had disappeared, only the roofs of their numerous sheds being visible above the water. Wreckage and debris of all sorts were strewn high ashore and in the harbour, while a derelict sampan in flames was carried swiftly along by the current.

By 8 a.m. rain had ceased and the high tide receded a little, and I went ashore in a sampan which sailed along the waterfront and entered a side street, where other sampans were sheltering. A good way up the street I disembarked, and, with water above my knees went exploring in the town.

There was water everywhere, over a good part of the main thoroughfare, up to the Victoria Dance Hall, and many side streets were completely inundated. Further scenes of desolation and destruction met the eye—flooded shops and houses, electric wires and Chinese shop signs hanging down shop windows broken in pieces of wood and other flotsam and jetsam strewn all round.

As the tide finally receded, there was great activity among the Chinese in salvaging their belongings, and also numbers of sightseers in motor-cars.

#### ELECTRICITY DAMAGE

While taking a long drive later in the day, I saw extensive damage done by the typhoon everywhere. Many trees were uprooted, including one great hoary banyan tree, while others were leaning across the road.



# Zoe Farmar shows you the lazy way to a LOVELY FIGURE

**T**HIS is for those who want to slim or improve their figures without taking exercise. One way or another there seems to be an effortless way of doing everything.

To correct your figure faults all you have to do is to go to almost any store and ask for the corseting department. You can go in looking like the fat lady and come out if not a Joan Crawford, at least a really good figure of a woman.

But first let us get straight what is wrong. Do not judge your figure by weight alone. Proportions matter. If you are heavy-boned you may look too thin beside a woman a stone lighter than yourself. In fact, it seems to work out that the thin-boned collect fat more readily than those big boned frames.

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Trying to become a physical type which you are not is as silly as a bus body on a motor-cycle.

Let us take some of the figures we run to and see what we can make of them. We'll begin small.

Just this week I found the perfect underall for almost any one who is below 40 inches round chest and hips. It had been tested out. Some one wore it for eight hours at a stretch and it did not—just would not—pull out of shape. The shoulder straps were adjustable—not to one position only, but to four. The most remarkable halter fashion for a completely backless dress.

All manoeuvred by buttons (flat and unfeeling) that fixed on to the girdle (although you don't necessarily have to buy a new girdle, as the loops go separately, for stitching on to whatever you have).

Still, the girdle was good, too. Triple threads of elastic stuff woven so that it holds you by the hips—relentless but kind.

You know how these girdles sometimes roll over at the top when you sit down. This one didn't, because there were two tiny bones (they come out before the laundry gets a chance) that held it up in position. Helps you to sit up straight, too.

"Do not judge your figure by weight alone. Proportions matter."

Another bit of information I bumped up against was that you can get a bathing suit with a really good bust bodice inset at the top. You can't see it, but the difference it makes.

They are also making beach tops—little silk handkerchiefs cleverly fangled to hold you just where they should. I think you are almost bound to buy one of these for the summer.

But to get on to bigger figures. They are the ones that should truly benefit by this colossal industry. My investigations convinced me that there is not a woman who, by studying her figure and dressing carefully (not only underneath, of course), cannot look well made.

There is one illusion she must overcome—the idea that by flattening the body she is making herself look slimmer.

By doing this she simply makes her body shapeless, vaguely shaped.

The figure which is large around the chest and hips can only be controlled if the bust is held up in its natural position. If bound down it spoils the waist-line, and encourages a roll of fat, gives a thickened silhouette.

Some of the "foundation" garments I saw for bigger women are truly exercises in themselves. They hold the figure to its rightful shape, and in doing so not only improve the look of you, they give your inside a better chance of health.

Great achievement of these things is that they are not boned. Light and washable, they are designed to put you into shape and they do. Some of them look quite flip and gay in flowered voiles. I prefer the plain babycoloured ones in faille and elasticity.

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In this department the meaning of mass production has changed. It now defers to individual idiosyncrasies in a big way. Of the garments I've been talking about along there are something like five hundred different combinations of measurements.

The way they discover what is good for you is fascinating. To me incomprehensible (but then it is mathematical, and I am still unable to do long division).

You give your hip, bust, and waist measurements, and the sales girl dials them on a cardboard chart and gets through to the number that will fit you. It never fails.

You may be top-heavy or four inches larger round the hips; they will straighten you up.

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That is the beginning. . . If you want to do well by yourself you must plan with equal care your general style of dressing. There is not room here to go into that, but remember always that ornamentation calls attention to, does not detract from, an over-full outline.

Over-dressing is responsible for more spoiled figures than over-eating.

## Russet, the lipstick for tanned skins

THE skin which has acquired a really lovely tan needs a very special make-up, and, as a general rule, the make-up must contain something of an orange shade in rouge and lipstick, with one of the sun-tan powders to complete it.

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The latest addition to the list of sun-tan cosmetics is a russet lipstick which harmonises beautifully with the brown, healthy skin, and yet does not look out of place even on the tennis court. It is packed in a black case with gold and russet bands, and costs only half a crown.

## Housewife's Scrapbook

A READER recommends this lotion for hands discoloured by stains.

One teaspoonful of white vinegar, added to two of lemon juice. Ten drops of camphor must be added, and the preparation put into a bottle.

Very little is necessary. Dab on with a small piece of cotton wool and leave on to dry. After it has dried apply plenty of olive oil, which can be wiped off after a few minutes. Then the hands should be washed.

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NEW kid gloves will not split, when first put on, if they are placed between the folds of a damp towel for an hour or two. The dampness softens the kid and allows it to stretch more readily.

## DINNER MENU

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For the olives cut pieces of lean, underdone roast beef, spread thinly with horseradish sauce, put a piece of pickle or gherkin in each and roll up. The broad beans should be cooked and peeled, and served cold with French dressing and chopped parsley. The salad is made by mixing sliced cold potatoes with half the quantity of sliced cucumber.

Make the dressing with two hard-boiled egg yolks mashed with salt and a pinch of sugar, add a tablespoon of white vinegar and then a gill of sour cream.

Stew 14lb. red currants in water until tender, rub through a sieve, add 6oz. castor sugar and allow a tablespoon of ground rice for each pint. Mix the rice with a little of the juice, heat the rest, and when boiling stir into the rice and boil until quite thick. Turn into a mould and serve with custard or cream. It is best made the day before.

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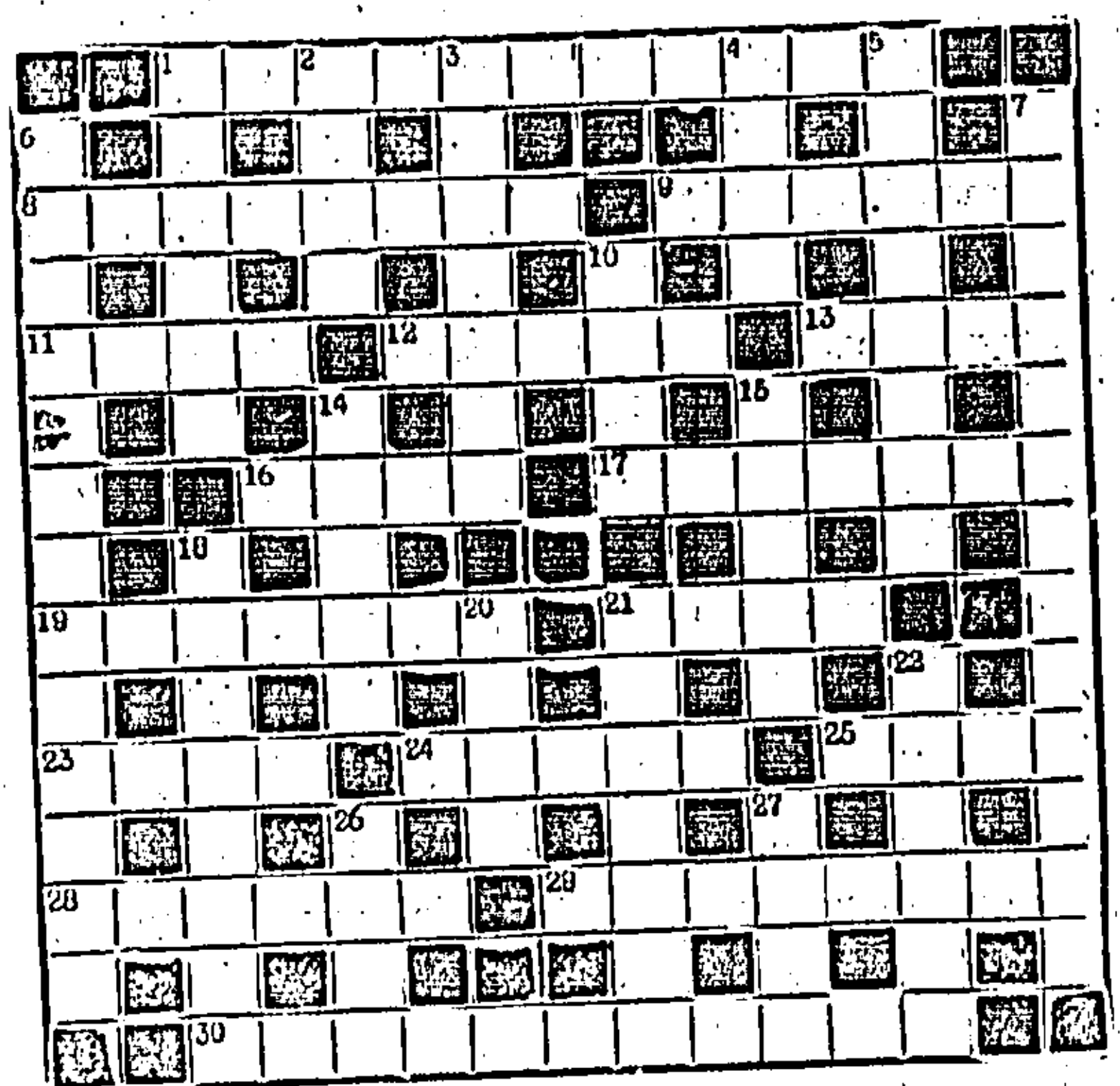
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### ACROSS

- 1 Drake, and this race, made the Spanish fly.
- 3 Ex cathedra.
- 9 The genial old poet who has a call for the nation.
- 11 He takes a piece of elastic at the back of the foot.
- 12 Drill that is popular in the tropics.
- 13 Cinderella's other name.
- 16 Stop used by sailors.
- 17 Mediterranean port.
- 19 Means to take care in this.
- 21 When this is owing, it means trouble in waves.
- 23 The river with the first-class reference.
- 24 Even a double one won't make one right.
- 25 Look for this on the map of Peru.
- 28 Eleven eels far from home, and very upset.
- 29 Do without; as the chemist does.
- 30 She is the second at birth; first and second after her first ceremony.

### DOWN

- 1 A good number offer accommodation for valuables.
- 2 Notch.
- 3 Exercising a certain sense.
- 4 Returned empty.
- 5 The horse that shares a stall with a lion.
- 6 Ship's cut to die (anag.).
- 7 In being restored to former

- 10 Mrs. Spratt only, I fancy, would eat this pudding.
- 14 Trees appealing to the airman.
- 15 Seize this, or it may shoot.
- 18 Where they disturb the heather in Scotland.
- 20 This ace is never in the middle of the pack.
- 21 The bird for rejoicings.
- 22 Foreign gentleman who seems to demand your name on the dotted line, with a threat.
- 26 Unless he had private means, the counsel who wasn't wouldn't be able to.
- 27 Place.

### Yesterday's Solution.

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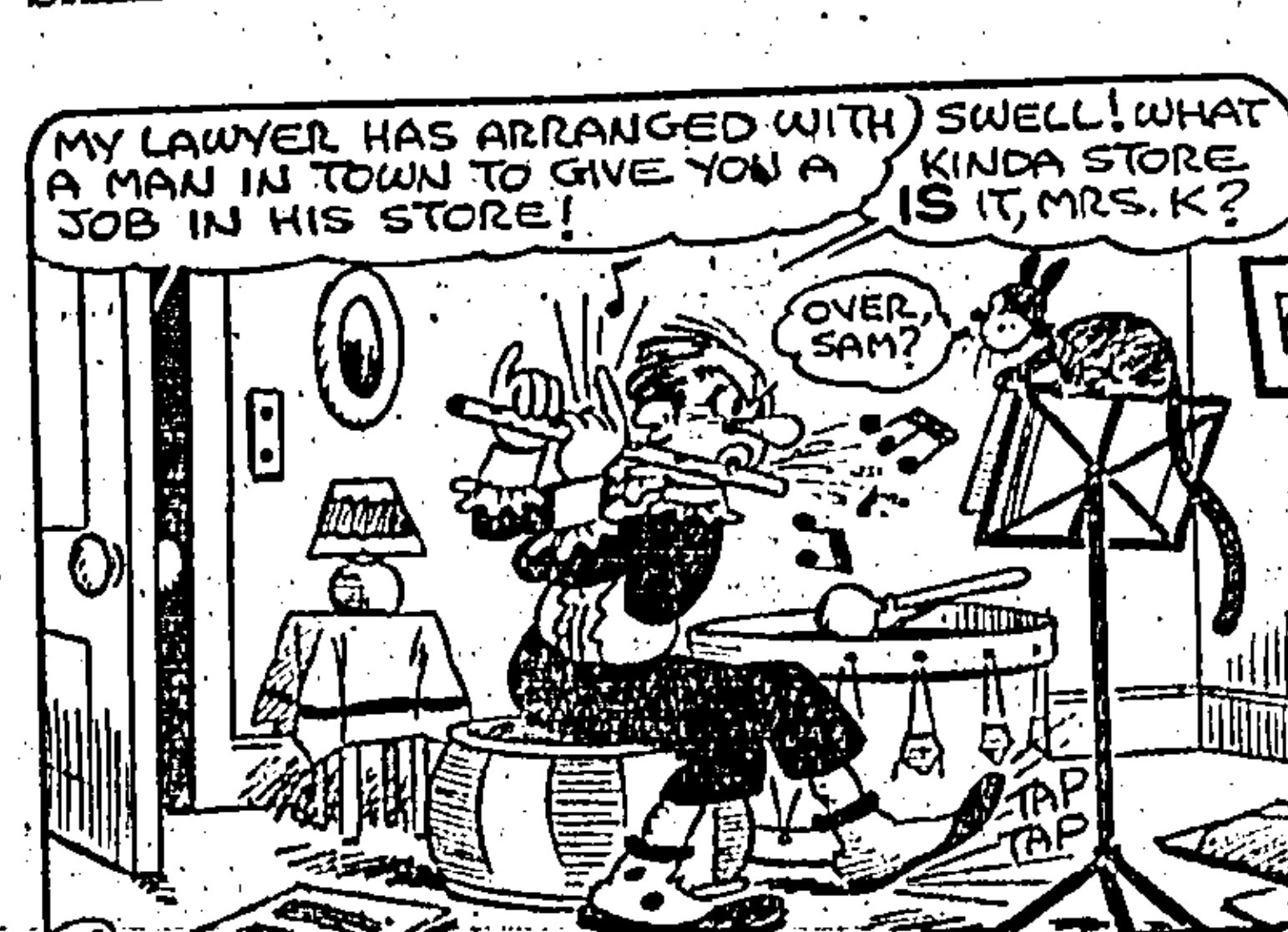
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## No Chance For A Setback



# COUPLE SEEK PARADISE SEVEN YEARS,

## Italy Is Taking No Risks

MILLION SOLDIERS UNDER ARMS

Rome, Aug. 10.  
THERE is only about one chance in ten of an European war within the next two years, according to responsible Italian officials.

Italy, however, is proceeding with its military preparations as though the odds were reversed and war might be expected to-morrow.

Italy to-day still has almost one million soldiers under arms in Italy and Ethiopia and is turning out airplanes, bombs, munitions and big guns at virtually a war-time pace.

If there is an European war (and Mussolini sincerely hopes there won't be because he has his hands full with Ethiopia), Italy expects to be, as in 1915, on the winning side.

Will Italy fight with or against Germany in the next war?

Nobody knows, not even Mussolini, because European politics are in such a state of flux it is impossible to say who will fight whom.

Italy is preparing for enemies in every direction. The Brenner pass looking toward Austria and Germany is heavily fortified. The Italian-Jugoslav frontier bristles with "pill boxes", trenches and emplacements.

Roads leading through the passes into France and Switzerland are covered by imposing camps of Italy's picked Alpine troops.

### PORTS STRENGTHENED

Every Italian port, since the menace of war between England and Italy, has been strengthened with anti-aircraft artillery, mine layers and a flotilla of submarines.

In the past year a dozen new military airports have been established in Italy, especially in the southern two, Sicily and Sardinia, and airfields throughout the peninsula have been improved and enlarged.

Before the end of the year Italy plans to have 1,500 new airplanes, mostly high-speed bombers, in service giving her almost 1,000 first-line machines. Fifteen hundred new student pilots were recently enrolled and are now being trained.

### SOCIALISM

Key industries have been "nationalized" and are working for the government. The army is proceeding with a vast programme of mechanization.

Mobility of attack and rapidity of mobilization are the two guiding principles which motivate Italy's preparation for the next war.

As a result of his experiences in the Ethiopian war, Mussolini believes he can throw the entire Italian nation into a war overnight. The two "best mobilizations" of the Italian population during the African war, however, were primarily designed to perfect the organization for immediate mobilization in case of an emergency.

Mussolini feels, according to persons close to him, that Italy's ability to enter any war at a moment's notice is his greatest diplomatic strength. He believes this constant preparedness may be a powerful factor in imposing peace on Europe because neither France nor Germany would like to have one of their fronts exposed to Italy's modern legions. Respect for Italian military prowess, under Fascist rule, is increasing in Europe. Italian belief and this may be an important factor in preserving peace.

### WAR DANGER ENDED

Mussolini's many speeches during and after the East African war all revealed a great preoccupation for the peace of Europe. Menaced by Britain and France in their attempts to halt his colonial adventures, Mussolini felt then that peace hung on a slender thread.

To-day, now the Ethiopian affair is being liquidated, Mussolini feels the dangers of an immediate war in Europe are vanishing. But he doesn't intend to relax his preparations until there has been general settlement of the problems which are disturbing Europe.

The Italians feel they rendered a service to peace by sponsoring the signature of the Vienna pact ending the bitter quarrel between Germany and Austria.

At least, reason most Italians, Europe will not go to war over the question of Austria. This pact, they believe, removed one of the thorns in the side of Italy-German relations and should decrease the anxieties of France and Czechoslovakia regarding the future Austria.

There are three questions in the opinion of Italians which still bring war in Europe within two years.

1. England's special Mediterranean accord with Yugoslavia, Turkey and Greece which Italians feel are directed against Italy.
2. The Locarno question: If France, Britain and Belgium try to draft a new Locarno treaty without and against Germany, Italians believe war will be inevitable in Europe.
3. Danzig: Italians are inclined to believe Poland will not raise a finger if Germany marches into Danzig after the Olympic games making it difficult for France and

### REBELS IN CHARGE



CADIZ, which is reported to have been bombarded by the Government cruiser, Cervantes.

## Delegates of "Lunatic Fringe" Threaten To Lynch Hecklers

New York, August 12.

"THIS 'lunatic fringe' is going to take over the American Government!" roared American's "Rabbi-rouser No. 1," the Rev. Gerald Smith, electrifying 11,000 delegates, meeting in Cleveland at the National Convention of the Townsend movement.

The Townsend recovery plan—to which Father Coughlin, the powerful "radio priest," pledged his support to-day—threatens to split the Democratic vote in the November election and may thus lead to the defeat of President Roosevelt.

### Professor Probes

### Cosmic Ray Secrets

## LONE VIGIL IN 'GHOST' TUBE STATION

ON the darkened platform of a disused London tube station, a professor is at work in a makeshift laboratory, probing secrets of cosmic rays.

Professor I. M. Blackett, of the Birkbeck College, London, has what is surely one of the strangest laboratories in the world—a disused cabin 120 ft. below the wheels of the city's roaring traffic.

Here the Professor, who is Britain's leading authority on cosmic rays, is studying the penetration power of these strange rays.

Surrounded by shining coils, batteries and wires, he works with a great electro-magnet, studying the power of the rays.

And as he works, trunks, trunks, through the deserted station, but they never stop.

The windows light up as these "ghost" trains flash past, but the professor works on.

### TRACKS PHOTOGRAPHED

"Cosmic rays are always bombarding the earth," he said. "Where they come from is still a mystery."

Professor Blackett has succeeded in photographing the tracks the rays make when passing through a machine.

Soon he hopes to fly into the stratosphere and study the rays there.

"We know," he continued, "that the higher one goes the more intense these rays become. We now contemplate flights to an altitude of ten miles."

Cosmic rays with an energy reaching 20,000 million volts have already been studied. Professor Blackett suspects that there are rays with an energy of nearly a billion volts.

Britain to decide whether they consider such action a reason for war or not. Italy thinks not. Although Italians are confident war is not an imminent possibility in Europe, they believe the odds against war cannot be reduced or eliminated entirely until the diplomatic negotiations under way are concluded.

Whatever happens, say Italians, "we are prepared materially to fight but spiritually we think it would be suicide for Europe. Nothing will come of the war but anarchy and communism in Europe."—United Press.

Spokesman of the "Share Our Wealth" clubs organized by Senator Huey ("Kingfish") Long, the assassinated Dictator of Louisiana, the Rev. Gerald Smith began his speech by announcing that he had just heard of a plot against him.

### "HANG THE HECKLERS"

"Eight hundred men," he declared, "were going to enter this hall to prevent me from making a red-blooded fighting speech."

"How many of you will promise to hang anybody who interrupts me?"

Eleven thousand hands shot up in answer.

Mr. Smith then launched into his tirade against the Roosevelt New Deal.

With a Bible in one hand he played upon his vast audience with all the arts of the super-evangelist, raising the delegates to the highest pitch of political frenzy.

### "BRAIN TRUST BREAD"

"I refuse to drink this Tammany milk or eat this brain trust bread baked in Moscow," he bellowed.

"Eighty out of every 100 farms are under mortgage to the Government. That means Government ownership of land. That's Communism!"

This spectacular Convention is actually that of a triple alliance which will fight the Presidential election as a Third Party opposed to both Democrats and Republicans.

The alliance combines the Townsend Plan, pledged to restore prosperity by £40-a-month old age pensions, the Huey Long faction, and Father Coughlin's National Union for Social Justice.

Together these three "lunatic fringe" movements will back the Union Party candidate, Representative William Lemke, of North Dakota.

### LORD AUSTIN

The College of Heralds has conferred the title chosen by Sir Herbert Austin on the conferment of a barony in the King's Birthday honours list.

He will be known as Lord Austin of Longbridge.

### Producer-Preacher Tells Of

### Boyhood Romance

MR. RALPH READER, musical comedy producer, stood in the Wesleyan church pulpit recently at Crewkerne, Somerset, where he spent his boyhood.

"As a boy I sat in a pew in this church and fell in love with a girl in the choir who was always dressed in pink. I never thought of what the minister said in his sermon, my thoughts were with this girl, and when not with her I was thinking of how I should play my football."

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A MAN and woman have sailed from London bound for Paradise on Earth.

It took Captain John Fleming Vibart, C.B.E., late of the Royal Indian Navy, and his wife seven years to find Paradise—in South-east Rhodesia.

They travelled the entire civilised world. Their trunks and suitcases are plastered with labels of the world's rail, ship and air services.

Papeete, Lotus Land of the South Seas. . . New York, modern wonder city. . . Peaceful, magic isle of Madagascar. . . China, Japan, India.

They searched them all, but train, ship or plane carried them on to other lands—dissatisfied. Back in London they tried to settle, but the desire for the perfect home gave them no rest. They bought a secondhand car and drove away.

### LONG SEARCH

Months later they landed at Capetown with it, and turned north into the vast hinterland of the land of the Bantu. Several sets of tyres were worn out on macadam roads and veldt and jungle tracks.

Through Bechuanaland, ruled by Chief Tseketse; Namaqualand, where diamonds are as plentiful as pebbles on a beach; along the Witwatersrand, most prosperous spot on earth; ever north, beyond Lake Nyasa.

Still searching they headed south again and entered Southern Rhodesia. They came to the Umvungu River and for several miles bowed along beside rushing streams almost hidden by tropical vegetation. Birds coloured like rainbows flitted from tree to tree. Troops of baboons scrambled to safety into the 2,000 ft. hills on either side. Starling huck watched the passage of the searchers. This is how Capt. Vibart describes the first glimpse of their perfect home, Umtali.

"Then we came to Christmas Pass. We stopped to fill our radiator. We looked down into the valley. . . it was the place of our dreams."

### NO CROWDS

They bought two and a half acres of land, ordered a house to be built, sold their car for £30 less than they paid for it, and returned to England to say good-bye for ever.

For other paradise seekers here are some facts about Umtali:

European population, 2,000. Rates, 3d. in the £ for property and 1d. for buildings, with 15 per cent. rebate for prompt payment. It has a £1,000 swimming bath—there's fishing, shooting, golf, tennis—and income tax is 6d. in the £ over £800 a year.

Captain Vibart says dreamily: "Climate's as near perfection as possible. There's no snobbishness, and everywhere is the open door. Living's cheap, and when I say living I don't mean existing! People who like the smell of a crowd had better stop away."

That was the farewell of the man and woman who had found their Paradise.

### Girl of 17 Marries Man of 100

In spite of the opposition of her parents, a girl of 17 has married a man of 100, reports the Exchange from Belgrade, Yugoslavia.

The bride is the pretty daughter of a farmer, and the couple have been engaged for a year.

During that time the girl repeatedly expressed her determination to marry her aged fiancé.

### NATIONAL DAY IN FRANCE



Our picture shows a little Marianne from Northern France who participated in the great shows celebrated recently throughout the country.

## "BATTALION ON ITS HONOUR"

VIEWS OF OFFICERS AND CLERGY

### "NO COMPULSION"

Keen interest has been aroused in the case of the Commanding Officer of a Regiment at Home, who as stated in the "Telegraph" recently, dispensed with the custom of a full dress parade of his battalion a long time before the hour for church on Sundays, and who "put them on their honour" to come on parade properly dressed just in time for church.

Many opinions have been expressed by military officers and leaders of the Church. Among them are the following:

Bishop Welldon.—A soldier should not be compelled to attend Divine Service if he conscientiously objects. If there is a Church parade it should be as brief as possible.

General Sir Ian Hamilton.—If the idea underlying a Church Parade is that the men should go to Heaven, then, in no far, it is futile and more likely to result in a march towards the infernal regions. If the parade is held for any other reason, such as smartness and discipline, that is for the military authorities.

### COMPULSORY RELIGION

Dean of St. Paul's (Dr. W. R. Matthews) quoted the story of the Church dignitary who was asked if there were any distinction between compulsory religion and no religion. "The distinction," replied the dignitary, "is too subtle for me to perceive."

The Bishop of Hereford (Dr. C. L. Carr).—The idea of putting a battalion on its honour is excellent. When I was vicar of Yarmouth during the War I took a Church Parade Service every Sunday, and found that most of the men resented the lengthy ceremonial beforehand.

The Bishop of Truro (Dr. Hunkin).—I heartily agree with anything that would make the service more helpful for the men. The cutting down of tiring ceremonial before church would be very beneficial.

The Dean of Bristol (Very Rev. H. W. Blackburne, Chaplain to the Forces during the War).—The idea of putting men on their honour to appear properly dressed at church parade is splendid. I have sometimes thought the preliminary parade has been a cause of dissatisfaction. At the same time there is great value in the compulsory church parade, as there are probably numbers of men who would not go to church otherwise.

## Refugees' Hopes Dashed

Twenty thousand Assyrians are homeless again as a result of the League Council's decision to abandon its plan to settle the refugees in French Syria.

Mr. Eden, Foreign Secretary, told the Commons that the French Government had informed the League Committee concerned that owing to political developments in Syria it would, in its view, be unwise to proceed with the project.

The Council had instructed its committee to continue its efforts to find a permanent solution of the Assyrian problem.

The Assyrian refugees are survivors of the massacres that took place in Iraq in 1933.

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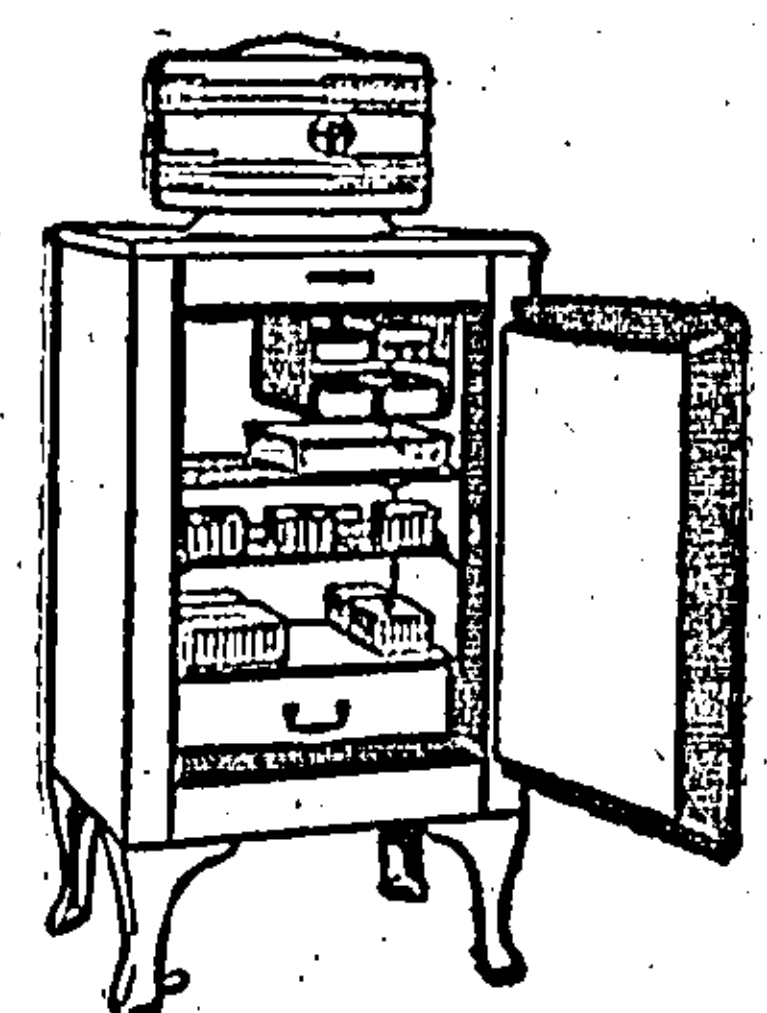
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The total expenditure in 1936 on behalf of sick and destitute children is estimated at \$25,000, against which the income to date is \$18,000 only.

In order to continue its work, the Society asks for the balance of \$7,000 before the close of the financial year on 31st October.

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## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE MARKET QUIET YESTERDAY

New York, Aug. 17.  
Swan, Culbertson & Fritz. Dow Jones summary of yesterday's market. The market today was quiet and prices declined early in the day, but rallied late in the session, led by steel issues which, however, closed irregularly lower. Copper shares declined due to the lower price of the metal. Silver, farm, railroad and aviation stocks were also lower, whilst sugar shares barely held their own. Interest is now centred on commodities. The bonds market was irregularly lower. Stocks on the Curb Exchange were lower.  
S. C. & F. Wall Street Journal morning comment: "Demand for stocks is now being tamed by traders as growing caution, due to the liberal way in which the market is discounting earnings. The continued strength of steel scrap prices indicates the increasing manufacturing activity in the Autumn. Wall Street is pessimistic with regard to the White House indication of no new increases in taxes. Speculative interest in commodities is decreasing."

S. C. & F. New York cable cables: Stocks: The market developed business as traders turned cautious. The Pennsylvania Railroad Company earned 89 cents per share for the 6 months ended June 30, as against 77 cents during the corresponding 6 months of last year. The Price Business Index for the past week is 103.0 as against the revised figure of 102.7 the previous week and 95.9 during the corresponding week of last year.

Cotton: Further crop complaints from the South-West had a slight effect on the market. An improvement is reported in export inquiry. Hedging is light, but it is anticipated to increase in the near future. This expectation is creating aggressive demand.

Wheat: The mill markets and cash wheat are strong. Unfavorable weather conditions are delaying harvesting in Canada. The visible supply of wheat has increased by

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Corn: Good rains over the main corn belt are overshadowed by dryness and high temperatures in the West. There is a large European demand. An Argentine official estimate gives the remaining exportable surplus of corn from that country at 240,000,000 bushels. This is contrasted as a bullish factor. The visible supply has decreased by 514,000 bushels.  
Rubber: The market is dull. Consumption during July totalled 48,128 tons. The English stock of rubber decreased by 1,001 tons during the past week.

REUTER QUOTATIONS  
Dow Jones Averages:  
Aug. 15. Aug. 17.  
30 Industrials ..... 165.00 165.30  
20 Rails ..... 53.08 53.61  
20 Utilities ..... 24.76 24.93  
40 Bonds ..... 103.88 103.82  
11 Commodity Index unquoted 67.48

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THE REGISTER OF SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY, 31st AUGUST to THURSDAY, 10th SEPTEMBER (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.  
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Agents.  
Hongkong, 30th July, 1936.

## U.S. COMMODITY PRICES

### LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the New York commodity exchange are issued by Reuters.

New York Cottons  
October ..... 11.71/75 11.83/83  
December ..... 11.78/82 11.87/88  
January ..... 11.82/82 11.91/91  
March ..... 11.87/87 11.96/96  
May ..... 11.84/86 11.97/97  
July ..... 11.79 11.90  
Spot ..... 12.36 12.43

New York Rubber  
September ..... 16.25/25 16.11/12  
October ..... 16.20 16.14  
November ..... 16.23/23 16.23/23  
December ..... 16.30 16.26/26  
January ..... 16.40 16.30/30  
March ..... 16.48/50 16.39/39  
May ..... 16.55/57 16.42/42  
July ..... 16.63 16.50  
Total sales—740 tons

Chicago Wheat  
September 1114/1115 1134/1135  
December 1104/1111 1123/1125  
May 1083/109 1105/1105  
Saturday's sales: 20,662,000 bushels.  
Chicago Corn  
September 108/108 1113/112  
December 95 95 98 98 98 98  
May 91 91 94 94 94 94  
Winnipeg Wheat  
October 100 101 102 103  
December 99 101 111 113  
May 101 101 102 102

## EXCHANGE

Selling  
T.T. Demand ..... 1/2 1/2  
T.T. Shanghai ..... 102 1/2  
T.T. Singapore ..... 52 1/2  
T.T. Japan ..... 105 1/2  
T.T. India ..... 81 1/2  
T.T. U.S.A. ..... 62  
T.T. Manila ..... 45 1/2  
T.T. Batavia ..... 46 1/2  
T.T. Bangkok ..... 47 1/2  
T.T. Saigon ..... 46 1/2  
T.T. France ..... 47 1/2  
T.T. Germany ..... 70 1/2  
T.T. Switzerland ..... 94 1/2  
T.T. Australia ..... 1/3 1/2  
T.T. Lisbon ..... 65 1/2  
Buying  
4 m/s. L/C. London ..... 1/3 1/2  
4 m/s. D/P U.S.A. ..... 31 1/2  
4 m/s. France ..... 5 00  
30 d/s. India ..... 83 1/2  
U.S. Cross rate in London ..... 5.02 1/2



Jack Hulbert as he appears in "Bulldog Jack," showing to-day at the King's Theatre. Fay Wray is co-starred with the British comedian.

## DETENTION OF CAR SUMMARY COURT ACTION FOR ITS RETURN

The alleged detention of a motor car formed the subject of a claim for \$200 before Mr. Justice J. J. Hayden in the Summary Court yesterday afternoon.

The action was brought by Chai Hon-chuen, of 177 Sai Young Street, against Wong Man-sin, of 17 Bute Street, claiming \$150 for the car on Austin seven No. 735, and \$50 as damages for wrongful detention.

Mr. M. A. da Silva appeared for the plaintiff, and the defendant was represented by Mr. M. C. McCallum. The plaintiff, in the witness-box, said he purchased the car from Lo Wan-kei, a Police interpreter, for \$85 on December 4 last. Immediately upon purchase, he took it to the Wei Sing garage for repairs. On January 6 last, he housed it at the Lee Man garage at the rate of \$5 a month.

About a month later he went to his native village where he remained for 20 days. On his return to the Colony, he found that the garage had closed. Some time in March he found his car in the possession of the defendant. He sent a friend to see the defendant, and on a refusal to return the vehicle, he instructed a solicitor to write a letter demanding its return. On receiving no reply, he issued the writ for the action.

He had never authorised Wong Chung, the owner of the garage, to sell the car on his behalf, nor had he surrendered his license either to him or to anybody. He did not authorise anybody to report to the Traffic Office for the loss of the license or apply for a duplicate. Up to the present time he had been unable to trace the whereabouts of Wong. He had spent over \$70 to repair the vehicle.

### Regulations Ignored

Cross-examined by Mr. McCallum, the plaintiff said that when he purchased the car, the then owner handed his license to him. Although he knew of the regulations, he did not notify the Traffic Office of the change in ownership. The reason was because he had no time to do

so. He admitted that, under the circumstances, nobody dealing with the car would have noticed the change in ownership.

He had no interest in Fiat car No. 285 and he did not know a man by the name of Lau Kim-shan.

Mr. McCallum then explained to the Court that he wanted this man as a witness but so far had been unable to serve the subpoena on him. The man was a broker and it was on his introduction that his client went to the garage where the owner said he had been authorised by plaintiff to sell the car. Immediately upon purchase of the vehicle, his client went to the Traffic Office to register the change in ownership.

In reply to further questions, plaintiff said he had used the car for only a week. He did not know the car was involved in an accident on February 21 last. He found the car towards the end of March, through a friend named Ng Pui-fan. He admitted that if he had carried out the traffic regulations the car would never have found its way into the possession of defendant, but denied that he had authorised Wong Chung to sell it.

### Offence Realised

Re-examined by his solicitor, the plaintiff said that when the duplicate license was applied for it was in the name of Y.K. Lo. The reason why he did not report his loss to the Police was because he realised he had committed an offence by not notifying the Traffic Office of the change in ownership.

In answer to His Lordship, the plaintiff said the amount claimed for damages in connection with the detention of the vehicle was for inconvenience caused him as he was employed at the Shing Mun Dam. He had to spend 50 cents a day for fares, as a result of the detention. Mr. T. G. Stokes, in charge of the records of the Traffic Department, testified that the car was first transferred to Y.K. Lo on August 20, 1935. On January 23 last, a person unknown to him applied for a duplicate license in the name of Lo. The application was granted, but such a request was also accepted to in cases of loss of the original license. There was no record of change of ownership by the plaintiff. The case was then adjourned until September 10, at 10 a.m.

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### MAIL CLOSING TIMES AT KOWLOON

From Monday, August 17 the times of closing the English, American, Australian, Siberian and Manila Mails will be the same at Kowloon Central Post Office as at the General Post Office.

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### VIA SIBERIA ROUTE

Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

### INWARD MAILS

Japan	August 18.
Shanghai and Swatow	August 18.
Cebu and Manila	August 18.
Straits	August 18.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 24th July)	August 18.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways" Direct Service—London date, 8th August	August 18.
Calcutta and Straits	August 18.
Straits and Europe via Suez. Letters and papers, London, 23rd July and London Parcels—London, 18th July	August 18.
Manila	August 19.
Shanghai and Amoy	August 19.
Australia and Manila	August 20.
Shanghai	August 20.
Japan and Shanghai	August 21.
Haiphong	August 21.
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U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 1st August)	August 21.
Straits	August 21.
Japan	August 22.
Straits	August 22.
Saloon	August 22.

### OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time.
Tuesday.		
Formosa	Panama Maru	Tues., Aug. 18, 1.30 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hal Ning	Tues., Aug. 18, 3 p.m.
Manila, Australia and New Zealand	Change	Tues., Aug. 18, 3.30 a.m.
Manila, Australia and New Zealand	Change	Tues., Aug. 18, 2 p.m.
(Due Thursday Island, 29th August)	Reg.	Tues., Aug. 18, 2.45 p.m.
Bangkok	Marosa	Tues., Aug. 18, 3.30 p.m.
Amoy	Shantung	Tues., Aug. 18, 3.30 p.m.
Manila	Pres Cleveland	Tues., Aug. 18, 4.30 p.m.

Wednesday.		
Formosa	Kutsang	Wed., Aug. 19, 8.30 a.m.
Manila, Makassar and Sourabaya	Tjisadane	Wed., Aug. 19, 8.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Fukuken Maru	Wed., Aug. 19, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow	Szechuen	Wed., Aug. 19, 10.30 a.m.
Straits and Calcutta	Kumsang	Wed., Aug. 19, 1.00 p.m.
Amoy	Taiyuan	Wed., Aug. 19, 4.30 p.m.

Thursday.		
Shanghai, Japan and Europe via Chitral	Thurs., Aug. 20, 10.30 a.m.	
Siberia	Atsuta Maru Thurs., Aug. 20, 5 p.m.	

Friday.		
Letters for "Imperial Airways R.M.A. Dorado" Direct Service—due London, 31st August	Fri., Aug. 21, 8.30 a.m.	

K.P.O.		
Reg.	Aug. 20, 5 p.m.	
Letters	Aug. 21, 8.30 a.m.	
Letters for "Australia by Imperial Airways Service"—due Darwin, 25th August	Fri., Aug. 21, 8.30 a.m.	

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### SIXTH ANNUAL

# Amateur Photographic Competition

Details have been unavoidably crowded out of this edition but the list of sections, rules and Entry Form are printed below.

### SECTIONS:—

SECTION 1  
Story-Telling  
SECTION 3  
Views  
SECTION 5  
For Children

SECTION 2  
Chinese Studies  
SECTION 4  
Still Life  
SECTION 6  
"News-happening"

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- The right to publish any or all of the entries in the Telegraph is reserved.
- Photographs which have been already entered in local competitions are ineligible.
- At the conclusion of the Competition, entries will be returned to competitors on application at this Office within seven days.
- No responsibility will be accepted for non-delivery, loss or damage.
- Photographs must not be less than Post-card size (excepting in the Children's Section) and the entry form should be lightly pasted on the back.
- No correspondence will be entered into in connection with the Competition.
- Entries in the Children's Section must bear the name, age and address of the entrant and the entry form should be countersigned by a parent.
- No employee or member of any firm in the photographic trade is permitted to compete.
- Members of the Staff of the Hongkong Telegraph and the South China Morning Post are not permitted to compete.
- The decision of the Judges shall be final.

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REBELS ATTACK  
COAST CITIES

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the son of General Delano, disguised as a sailor, back to the warship. The cruiser landed "the refugees" at Tanager.

This action is said to have followed the loyalists' threats against the Consul whom they accused of assisting General Delano to escape to Tetuan.—United Press.

## Armies In Contact

Burgos, Aug. 17. A detachment of swarthy Moroccans paraded Burgos to-day, indicating that the northern and southern armies have made complete contact.

Generals Mola, Franco and Cabanellas held week-end conferences and reportedly discussed the advisability of using a new and powerful instrument of war, hitherto not brought into action. "I am more confident than ever of rapid and complete victory," General Mola exclaimed. "I cannot say the precise date. However, the inactivity of the enemy continues and the advance of our troops indicates that victory. The liaison between General Franco's forces and my own is now complete."—United Press.

## Cartagena Taken?

Lisbon, Aug. 17. An intercepted radio message says the rebels have taken Cartagena.—United Press.

## Weds Before Execution

Madrid, Aug. 17. Just before he faced a firing squad at dawn to-day, General Fanjul, the monarchist, married the woman he loved, Senorita Luisa Agudala.

Newspapers are prominently and successfully chronicling the alleged discovery by the militia of a safety deposit box belonging to a convent.

AMBASSADOR  
OFFENDEDNAVAL OFFICERS  
IGNORE ORDERS

Washington, Aug. 17.

The Army and Navy Journal in its current issue reports that the Department of State has ordered the American Ambassador in Spain to make his headquarters at Hendaie as a result of his reported officiousness while aboard the U.S.S. Cayuga, whose officers declined to accept his commands.

Mr. Bowers heatedly protested to the State Department.

It is noteworthy that naval commanders are solely responsible to their immediate superiors and are only required to give "due weight" to Consular advice and opinion.—United Press.

containing 100,000,000 pesetas, partly in cash and partly in bonds, and also a large quantity of gold coins.

The box was rented in the name of the Little Sisters of the Poor, and the treasure has now been confiscated.—Reuter.

## Evacuation Arranged

London, Aug. 17.

Evacuation of foreign nationals from Granada by aeroplane, under arrangements made with the two sides in the civil war in Spain, has continued. Three of eleven British subjects have been brought out of the city, which is held by insurgents and invested by the Government troops, but the other eight "have decided to stay on at their own risk."—British Wireless.

YANKEES  
AGAIN  
DEFEATEDSTILL KEEP BIG  
LEAGUE LEAD

New York, Aug. 17.

The New York Yankees were again defeated to-day, though they still maintain a big lead over their nearest rivals for honours in the American League, Cleveland.

The Yankees fell before Washington's onslaught, the Senators hitting eleven times to score seven runs, while New York was hitting nine for five tallies, aided by DiMaggio's home run. Yankees had three errors.

Cleveland, too, was beaten, though Trotsky and Hale hit homers. Chicago scored a seven to three win. The Indians had three errors.

There were no games in the National League, rain postponing the Brooklyn-New York fixture.—Reuter.

GESTURE OF  
FRIENDSHIPGERMAN WARSHIP'S  
BELL RETURNED

(Special To "Telegraph")

Berlin, Aug. 17.

"I am confident this bell will ring in a period of still closer friendship between our two countries," affirmed Captain Bedford of the British cruiser Neptune, at an interesting function at Kiel when handing over the ship's bell of the former German battleship, Hindenburg, to Admiral-General Raeder.

For some years the bell has hung aboard the British battleship Revenge. Captain Bedford explained that its return was a token of the friendship uniting the two navies.

In his reply, Admiral Raeder thanked the British Admiralty on behalf of the German Navy.—Reuter Special.

SUNNING WRECK  
GUARDED BY ONE  
BRITISH OFFICER

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rock that towers hundreds of feet above the ship. That all the passengers and crew were landed without mishap is a remarkable drama in itself. I followed the trail of the rescued; went from ship to shore just as they did, down a swaying Jacob's ladder into the solitary lifeboat that carried 40 people to safety and then, by a succession of leaps from rock to rock, to the mountain's side.

## MOUNTAINOUS TRIAL

I tried to follow the trail to the top of the mountain, but lost it and was forced to give up the attempt. How all those people reached sanctuary will always remain a mystery to me.

Some of the passengers saved their most treasured personal effects from the wreck, only to abandon them on shore. On one rock I found a small bag of peanuts, an empty wallet and a trinket of jade.

Another rock stored a brass Buddha and a prayer book. Millions of baizees, which have burst from their sea-soaked bags in the wrecked forehold of the ship, strew the water below.

## HUMAN VULTURES

There is much of value aboard the Sunning and as I left in the gathering darkness last night dozens of sampans and junks were bringing like vultures around the wreck. A lone British officer, who had already been without sleep for 48 hours, was aboard to look after the ship. Half a mile away, however, was an encampment of British soldiers, and we came through Lyndon Pass, No. 4 Police launch passed us on her way to keep an all-night vigil against pirates.

Her arrival must have been a welcome sight to the one European aboard a ship which, in the years she has been on the Chinese coast, has never before had less than hundreds of people aboard.

## EXCHANGE RATES

	Aug. 14.	Aug. 17.
Paris	76.23/64	76.21/04
Geneva	15.42 1/2	15.42
Berlin	12.49 1/2	12.49
Athens	529	529
Milan	63 1/2	63 1/2
Oslo	10.00	10.00
Shanghai	1/2.1/32	1/2.7/10
New York	5.02 1/2	5.02 1/2
Amsterdam	7.40 1/2	7.40
Vienna	20 1/2	20 1/2
Prague	121 1/2	121 1/2
Madrid	39 1/2	39 1/2
Lisbon	110 1/2	110 1/2
Hongkong	1/2.29/32	1/2.29/32
Bombay	1/0 1/4	1/0 1/4
Brussels	20.63 1/2	20.62 1/2
Montreal	5.02 1/2	5.02 1/2
Monte Video	20 1/2	20 1/2
Yokohama	1/2.1/64	1/2.1/64
Silver (forward)	10 1/2	10 1/2
Silver (spot)	10 1/2	10 1/2
War Loan	100 1/2	100 1/2

—British Wireless.

KWANGSI WAR  
PREPARATIONSNEW ULTIMATUM BY  
CHIANG

Canton, Aug. 17.

Chinese newspapers report the secret arrival at Nanning of General Tsiang Tsiang-ai and Au Shao-nin (well-known Nineteenth Route Army officers) and a number of politicians formerly associated with the Canton regime. General Tsiang arrived in the Kwangsi capital on Saturday, which is interpreted to mean that the Nineteenth Route Army leaders may join the Kwangsi Government in a war against Nanking and Kwangtung.

It is understood that Tsiang Tsiang-ai's party boarded the French liner Arman in Hongkong on August 10 and arrived in Saigon on Friday. From Saigon he went to the Kwangsi border by train. From Lungchow on the Kwangsi-Annam border there was a motor car which brought him direct to Nanning.

In a statement issued to the press, General Tsiang stated that he has gone to Kwangsi to participate in the military movement, not because he is in friendly terms with the present rulers of Kwangsi but because he confidently believes that the movement is the only solution for the salvation of China.

## Kwangtung Prepares for War

The arrival in Nanning of Tsiang Tsiang-ai is considered an ominous sign which may seriously affect the peace negotiations which Marshal Chiang Kai-shek is now carrying on from Canton.

Marshal Chiang is, however, taking no chances with the Kwangsi commanders, and in addition to the sending of Canton gunboats to the West River, more Nanking warships, the Kong Ching and Cho Tai, arrived in Hongkong during the week-end from Amoy. These vessels will leave for the West River this week to reinforce the other Nanking warships already sent to the vicinity of Wuchow. It is expected that Nanking's first step against Kwangsi will be an economic blockade failing which an attack on Wuchow will be launched.

Wuchow remains quiet. Travellers say that apart from an atmosphere of uneasiness among merchants and withdrawal of some wealthy and foreign residents, the city is not perturbed by the concentration of Nanking troops on the West River. The Kwangsi Police at Wuchow, however, are vigilant in searching for spies from Canton. A number of passengers from Canton were detained recently. No one is permitted to land at Wuchow unless he has a guarantor's chop from a reliable Chinese firm in Wuchow.

This requirement has caused considerable inconvenience to travelling businessmen and merchants. The main body of Nanking troops is at Shihing. Further up the West River more Kwangtung troops are at Dashing, the scene of a skirmish between Kwangtung and Kwangsi troops a week ago. The vanguard of the Kwangtung troops are at Fung Kiang, about 100 miles from Wuchow. The Nanking gunboat Yang Chi was seen during the week-end at Dashing, which is about 20 miles from Wuchow.

## A New 19th Route Army

Nanking, Aug. 17.

General Tsiang Tsiang-ai, and his party, most of them junior officers of the 19th Route Army, crossed the Province from Lungchow in a fleet of motor cars. Here they were warmly greeted by Generals Li Chung-jen and Pei Chung-hsi and other officials of the Kwangsi Government.

Their arrival has attracted much interest in view of the fact that General Tsiang repeatedly refused to come here at the beginning of the Kwangsi trouble. Their arrival is explained in official circles here as being due to being earnestly requested by former followers to join the Kwangsi cause. It is estimated that no less than 300 former 19th Route Army officials have joined the Kwangsi Army, among them Generals Ong Chao-wun, Au Shou-nin and Yip Shiu-chuen.

Latest information to-day states that General Yip Shiu-chuen, former Staff Officer of the 19th Route Army, has gone to Wuchow to establish an office for the 19th Route Army there. General Tsiang is busily making preparations for raising a new army in Kwangsi to be called the 10th Route Army. Besides former men of the 19th Route Army a certain number of the Kwangsi militia will be assigned to his new army.—Wah Kiu Yat Po.

Chiang Backs Wang Shao-hung. While Marshal Chiang Kai-shek is still bargaining with the Kwangsi party for the latter's surrender, it is understood from a well-informed Chinese source that Marshal Chiang is insisting on one point, i.e. the appointment of General Wang Shao-hung as the Pacification Commissioner of Kwangsi with General Li Pin-shin as his chief assistant. Nanking officials explain that this important decision was reached at the recent Kulling Conference and since that time General Wang Shao-hung has relinquished his former post of Governor of Chekiang and has come here from Shanghai via Hongkong.—Wah Kiu Yat Po.

## Changling Tactics

Wuchow, Aug. 17. The Kwangsi military commanders have definitely changed their tactics. The intended attack on southern Kwangtung at Yamechow and Linchow has been abandoned owing to the presence of the Nanking cruisers. Having given up the idea of attacking Kwangtung they are taking defence positions in all fronts. The heaviest concentration of Kwangsi troops is at Wuchow and at important points along the West and Fu Rivers. Along the Yunnan, Hunan and Kweichow borders there

TYPHOON STAGGERS  
MACAO

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Several electric standards were bent, and one immense advertising sign completely down. The damage to electric equipment was estimated at about \$30,000.

The Candrome was almost a ruin, and there was scarcely a swimming match to be seen on the sea front. Several of the buildings belonging to the Netherlands Harbour Board were roofless. Many parts of the sea wall at Barra Point were broken down, the force of the gale having carried the blocks of stone far across the road.

The typhoon left squally weather as an aftermath, and all shipping was at a standstill for the day.—Our Own Correspondent.

## AT LEAST 11 DEAD

Manila, Aug. 18.

At least eleven are dead in the wake of the typhoon which struck North Luzon Island.

Houses and crops are destroyed and famine is threatening the inhabitants.

The United States survey ship, Fathomer driven ashore before the full force of the storm struck, was higher ground after the typhoon's passing.

She is on the reef off Cap St. Vincent.—Reuter.

## COLLISION IN FOG

San Francisco, Aug. 17.

The cruiser Manzanera collided in fog off the southern California coast and both are slightly damaged.—United Press.

is only one division of Kwangsi troops.

## An Ultimatum

Canton, Aug. 17.

Following the visit of General Li Bin-sin from Kwangsi, peace rumours again prevailed in the city. One report even states that General Huang Shao-hung may go to Nanning by aeroplane to-day. But this cannot be true as air services have been suspended by the typhoon weather.

It is understood that counter proposals drafted up by Marshal Chiang have been given to General Li Bin-sin, who is expected to fly back to Nanning as soon as the weather condition improves. These counter-proposals are not known but it is generally believed that one of the most important conditions is that Generals Li Chai-sum, Pei Chung-hsi and Li Chung-jen must leave Kwangsi Province.—Wah Kiu Yat Po.

## Three Days Ultimatum

Canton, Aug. 17.

Chinese sources state that General Chiang Kai-shek has given Generals Li and Pei three days to leave Kwangsi, otherwise the Central Government will use force to settle the situation.

In a speech to-day the Generalissimo announced that he was pardoning Generals Li Chai-sum and Chen Kung-shue who participated in the "Fujian revolt" and were now "allied to the Kwangsi movement."—Reuter.

## Kwangsi Envoy Delayed

Canton, Aug. 17.

General Li Bin-sin, the Kwangsi envoy, who was scheduled to return to Nanning by aeroplane to-day has been delayed by the weather.—Wah Kiu Yat Po.

## Yunnan Peace Embassy

Nanking, Aug. 17.

General Lu Chen-wan, the Yunnan delegate, is leaving here this morning for Shanghai by aeroplane, where he will continue his journey to Canton by aeroplane to-morrow morning.

General Lu has been recently reported in certain Canton newspaper that he may make a trip to Kwangsi on behalf of the Central Government and act as peace maker.—Wah Kiu Yat Po.



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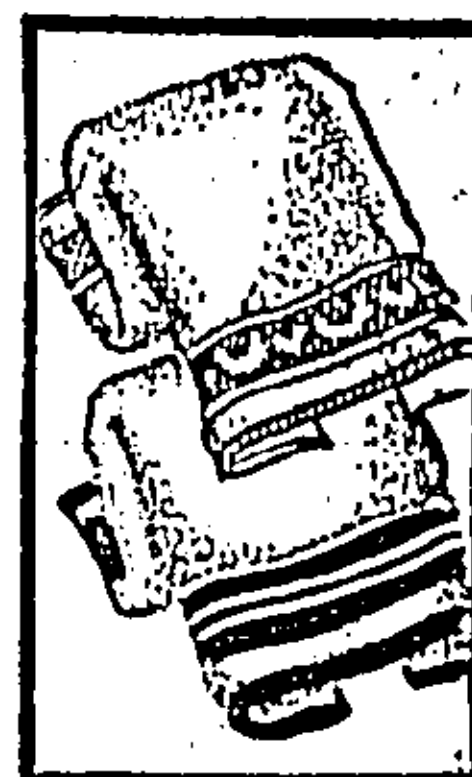
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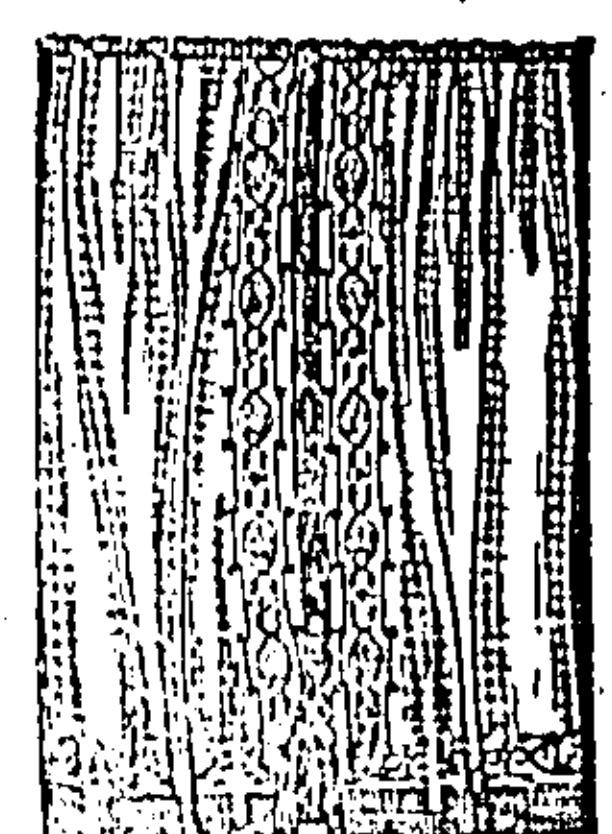
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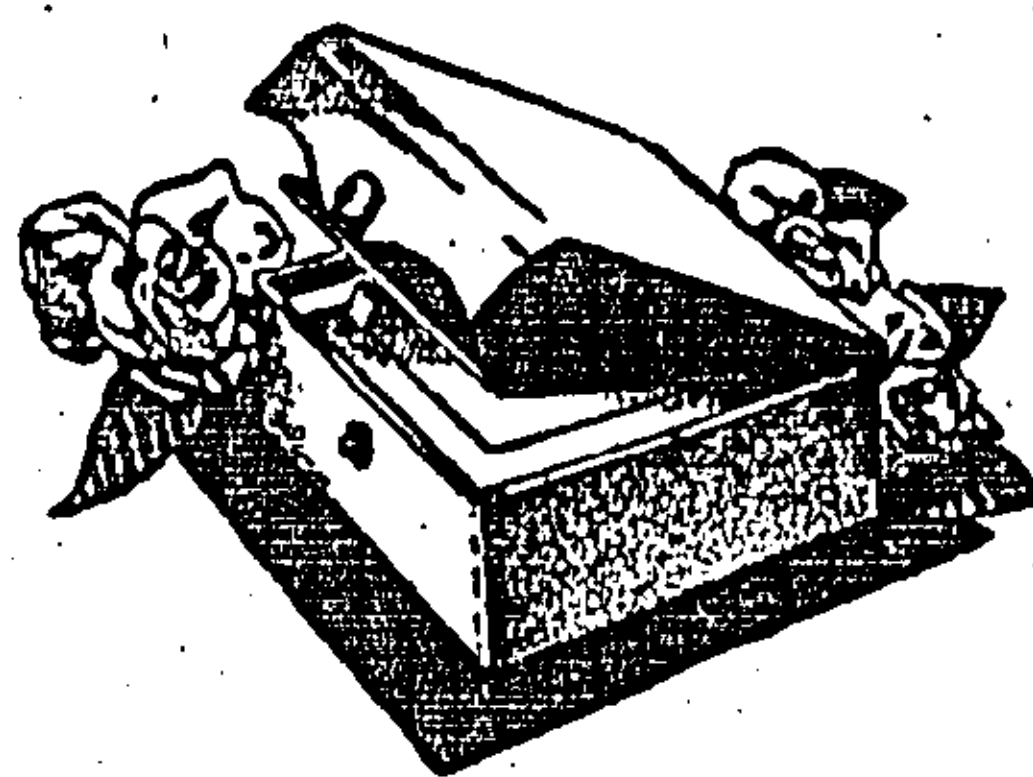
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### TYPHOON RESCUE WORK

Substantial as the toll of damage has been—happily not of a major character, if we except the shipping casualties—the Colony must count itself fortunate that it escaped the full force of the typhoon which came perilously near to registering a direct hit on Hongkong in the early hours of yesterday morning. Actually, the disturbance, which was of marked severity, passed south of Gap Rock, some forty or fifty miles from the Colony. Even as it was, a maximum wind velocity of over 130 miles per hour was recorded in two specific gusts. The probability is that had Hongkong been in the direct path of the typhoon, abnormally high wind velocities would have been of greater duration, with much more damage and heavier loss of life than has to be recorded. It is in times of emergency such as the typhoon provided that the special duties which fall on the Police Force and the Fire Brigade come into particular prominence. In the present instance, both these branches of the public service did yeoman work under most trying and difficult conditions. This is especially true of the Water Police, whose major accomplishment was the magnificent rescue of the passengers and crew of the China Navigation Company's steamer Sunning, which came to grief in Junk Bay. It was in response to S.O.S. signals, that the No. 1 police launch battled through mountainous seas from Mira Bay to the scene of the disaster—a feat of no mean order when account is taken of the conditions under which the little craft operated. But that is only part of the story. Arriving on the scene, the launch found it utterly impossible, by reason of the rocky nature of the coast where the Sunning lay, to get near the distressed craft. Not to be defeated, however, those in charge of the launch effected a hazardous landing some distance away, and then followed a trek of an hour and a half to the scene of the mishap, where, with the aid of ropes, the hundred and fifty passengers and crew were pulled ashore in one of the Sunning's lifeboats. Altogether, a splendid piece of

MANILA Bay, in the Philippines, in the month of August 1898. Three fleets, British, American and German, have assembled in this beautiful harbour. And not by accident.

Between Spain, still mistress of the Philippines, and the United States, war is raging. It began when the American battleship, Maine, visiting Cuba in the midst of a rebellion of the people of that island against their Spanish overlords, was mysteriously blown up in Havana harbour.

Both in Cuba and the Philippines, Spaniards and Americans are at grips.

The world watches the struggle, but not with an unbiased eye. Nations are taking sides; sympathies are aroused; passions rise.

Austria has a dynastic interest in Spain. The French, owners of Spanish bonds, have an inclination for dividend diplomacy. The Kaiser seeks a colonial outlet for his people in Brazil and observes with displeasure that the United States, with its arrogant Monroe doctrine, stands in the way. Italy follows the Germans.

The whole Press of Europe plays variations on the theme stated by the *Journal des Debats*: "America has committed an act of international piracy."

The Great Powers seek to prevent the war by presenting to the American Government a joint note of a menacing character. The meaning of the Note is plain: the Powers will intervene forcibly against the United States in the event of war.

However, there is one difficulty about the Note. The Powers approach Britain, asking that country to join with them. And Britain refuses to do so.

This action of the British Government carried with it the approval of the British people.

work, which reflects the highest credit on those in charge of the police craft. In the destruction of contractors' sheds at Stanley, which resulted in some hundred and fifty workmen being trapped in the debris, police also figured prominently in rescue work which resulted in the lives of all but three being saved. Thanks to the enterprise and initiative of the sergeant in charge a rescue gang was soon feverishly at work in the dark, and with the subsequent aid of officers and men of the Fire Brigade, what at one time bore possibilities of a major disaster was rendered far less serious. Splendid work was also done by the Fire Brigade in the collapse at Jardine's Bazaar. These incidents are but a few of many which occurred yesterday in which courage and determination played a conspicuous part. They serve to show that the particular branches of the Government service involved can and do rise to the occasion when opportunity presents itself. It is only right, therefore, that due tribute should be paid; indeed, it may well be that there have been deeds performed in these rescue efforts which are worthy of official recognition.

# KINSMEN

Thirty-eight Years ago yesterday Spain and the United States were at war and the famous Battle of Manila Bay was fought. Here is the story of an "incident" that is a lesson for to-day.

proval of the British people, launch was seen making for the Dewey, There was no doubt where British sympathy lay. When news cleared for action, trained a of the declaration of war arrived searchlight on it. The launch ed in London, the city was one showed no flag. Dewey fired a mass of American flags. When warning shot. The launch still the American Admiral Dewey came on. Dewey snapped out steamed out of Hongkong har- the order, "Fire to hit." A tall bour to attack the Spanish fleet column of water rose menacing- in the Philippines, British sailors ly a few yards from the launch, lined the rails, cheering the which stopped in a swirl of water and displayed the German colours.

In Manila Bay, Dewey won a spectacular victory over the Spanish Philippine squadron, mans, in breach of the blockade, after a bombardment of two and landed provisions for the a half hours. From that day Spaniards, Dewey sent his flag- the Americans blockaded Manila. lieutenant to the German ad- But the blockade had been miral, von Deiderich:

carried out in presence of British and German warships. The purpose of the Germans was plain—to secure their own position as the heirs of Spain in the Pacific. The purpose of the British was equally clear—to prevent the Americans being bullied out of the fruits of their victory.

Tension grew from one incident to another in this bay of the Philippines. Soon it reached danger-point.

Dewey, having proclaimed a blockade of Manila, found himself in the presence of a superior German fleet. He gave the order, as he had the right to do, that no ships should enter the harbour after nightfall. This order the Germans ignored. On one occasion Dewey was compelled to order that a shot be fired across the bows of a German warship.

Then one night a mysterious fleets in the Pacific.

For on the British flagship, the commander, Captain Chichester, was not looking at the Americans. Through his glasses he was watching the German fleet. His face was anxious.

The Germans had steam up. They were moving. They were following the Americans up the bay!

With what object? To help the Spaniards in the impending battle? To attack the American fleet?

Captain Chichester had orders to give. At his word signal-flags were hoisted.

Slowly the British ships swung round. They moved forward in line. When they were exactly in the path of the oncoming Germans, they stopped. It appeared that they were ready for action.

For a few minutes, the German ships still came on; the situation was full of danger—the danger of war. War, with the British Empire as the ally of the United States, in a death-grapple with the rising power of Germany!

Captain Chichester watches the Germans through his glasses. He sees them slow up, halt and turn away. He looks with a smile at his officers.

And so, with a sudden easing of the tension, the crisis in Manila Bay ends. Dewey and his Americans steam on to do battle. The American land forces, move to the attack. Soon an American flag lieutenant hauls down the Spanish standard in the Plaza of Manila. Spain's empire in the Pacific is at an end.

Thanks to the co-operation of the British fleet, it is the Americans and not the Germans who take over the control of the Philippines.

This co-operation of the two navies, British and American, was only an expression of a union of sympathy between the two branches of the Anglo-Saxon race, defying the jealousy of the rest of the world.

To-day there are signs that the co-operation of those days may be renewed, and in the same place, the Pacific Ocean. The American Senator, Key Pittman, has proposed a joint demonstration by the navies of the two countries. He is not a private individual. He is chairman of the U.S. Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

But his proposal derives its peculiar authority from the fact that it represents the views of a growing movement of opinion among the people of the United States for closer relations between the two countries.

There has been a big response in Britain. It is felt instinctively by the people of this country that a policy which brings us into line with the United States must be the right path for us to take.

Britain and the United States seek the same objects and desire to achieve the same results. We want peace for our people above everything. Many of us are convinced that there can be no peace except in co-operation with America.

To attain that co-operation we must adopt a common policy. It is only by following the path of isolation that we can expose to the world a common front with the Americans.

If we were to guarantee peace within the bounds of all the lands inhabited by the British and the American peoples, we should set an example to the world, we should show the way to prosperity and happiness. And on that account we would surely become the envy of the European nations.

Other peoples will emulate our success and, in furnishing them with leadership and example, we shall fulfil our mission in the world and our duty to men.

### SIDE GLANCES By George Clark



"But, mama, I don't want to look like Shirley Temple. I want to look like Myrna Loy."



# WINNER OF RADIO COMPETITION

## Voters Show Overwhelming Desire for Lighter Programmes

### SIXTY PER CENT NOT SATISFIED WITH ZBW

FOLLOWING almost a week's intensive checking and re-checking of entries in the ZBW Popular Item radio vote, the "Telegraph" is able to announce the results and the name of the winner of the handsome Philco medium-wave receiver, donated by Messrs. Philco Radio Distributors.

The ten items chosen by entrants were, in their order of popularity:

1. Dance Music	4,441 points
2. Variety	4,002 "
3. Hongkong Hotel Relays	3,100 "
4. Orchestral	2,947 "
5. Classical	2,408 "
6. Military Bands	2,297 "
7. Light Opera	2,248 "
8. Daventry Relays, General	1,950 "
9. Grand Opera	1,707 "
10. Daventry Relays, Sporting	1,454 "

As mentioned in the Rules, points were allotted on the basis of ten points for a No. 1 vote, nine points for a No. 2 vote, eight points for a No. 3 vote and so on, down to one point for a No. 10 vote.

Altogether, 603 entries were received, the majority on the two last days of the competition, when over 400 came in.

No entrant succeeded in forecasting the result in correct order of popularity. Many readers succeeded in correctly placing three and four items. Only one entrant correctly placed five items; this was

CHARLES SYLVA, 319 Nathan Road, 2nd floor,

to whom, therefore, the prize has been awarded.

The winner's coupon contained actually eight of the ten chosen items, but only five were in the correct order of preference.

The winner is requested to take delivery of the prize from Messrs. Sennet, Freezes.

Since there was no tie, there was no necessity for the judges to be called in to decide which of the winning competitors had submitted the best suggestions for the improvement of ZBW's programmes. As a matter of interest, however, it should be mentioned that the re-check of the entries was carried out under the personal supervision of the two judges.

Some 150 entrants submitted suggestions for improving ZBW's programmes, despite the fact that this was not a compulsory feature of the competition. The tabulation of these suggestions is a task distinct from that of discovering the winner of the competition, and is expected to occupy some weeks. It is hoped to publish the most interesting and constructive in a series of articles, commencing on Saturday.

Another non-compulsory portion of the competition was even more liberally made use of by entrants.

The remarkably high total of 586 of the 603 entrants answered one or more of the three questions designed to discover whether ZBW listeners desired early morning programmes or relays from short wave stations other than Daventry, and the more important question regarding the popularity of the local station with listeners.

A total of 556 entrants answered the first question in the following manner:

	YES	NO
"Would you like to have early morning programmes from ZBW?"	422	134

Listeners indicated their desire for relays from stations other than Daventry in even more certain fashion. The response to the second question was:

	YES	NO
"Would you like relays from short wave stations other than Daventry?"	455	92

Only forty-nine of the 603 entrants failed to answer the third question, which sought to discover whether listeners were satisfied with ZBW's existing programmes. Of the 554 entrants who voted, 362, or 65.34 per cent., expressed dissatisfaction. The result was:

	YES	NO
"Are you satisfied with ZBW's present programmes?"	192	362

Much more value is placed on the response to these three questions, and to the request for suggestions for improving ZBW's programmes, than on the actual result of the competition itself. It was felt before the competition started that the introduction of the prize-winning element would undoubtedly be a factor in inducing some competitors to vote in accord with what they considered would be the popular choice, rather than their own preferences.

This belief must, however, be modified, in view of the actual result. Many entrants voted for subjects which could not possibly have been placed in the first ten.

It is interesting to note that the fact that they adhered to their convictions did not rob them of an opportunity of winning the prize, since the winner succeeded in choosing, in their correct order, only five of the ten subjects voted for by the majority of entrants.

Thus, an entrant voting for Zyxophone Items, Popular Songs, French and Spanish Vocal Recordings and Chamber Music, to mention four of the lowest placed items, could quite conceivably have won the prize.

Altogether, 59 separate items received votes. In addition to the first ten, there were Pianoforte (1,334), Daventry Relays, Dance Music (1,277), Jazz Piano (935), Studio Variety (707), Studio Talks (705), Studio Concerts (450), Rotary Club Relays (438), Musical Comedy (397), Reuter Press Bulletin (385), B.B.C. Dance Orchestra (342), Symphony Items (268), Organ Recitals (261), Vocal Gems (208), Violin Items (199), Daventry Press Bulletin (169), Weather and Time Reports (163), Light Concerts (118), BELOW 100 POINTS in their correct order: Church Services, Tenor Items, Folk Songs, Hawaiian String Music, Stock and Share Markets, Amateur Hours, Choral Music, Daventry Organ Relays, BELOW 50 POINTS—Jazz Studio Items, Sopranos, National Airs, Continental Trio, Ballroom Music, Piano Accordeons, Daventry Church Relays, BELOW TEN POINTS—Billies, Concert Waltzes, Advertising Hours, Manila Relays, Cantonese Lessons, Old Time Melodies, Dramatised History of Hongkong, Chamber Music, French and Spanish Vocal Items, Popular Songs, Novelty Items, Surprise Interviews, Zyxophone.

## TYPHOON HAVOC



All that remains of the Police Training School at the Corner of Prince Edward and Nathan Roads, Kowloon. Buried beneath the debris is one of the police emergency vans. (See Page 11 for further typhoon photos.)

## Fascist Terrorism in Rumania

Bucharest, Aug. 8.

THE murder here of Mihail Stelescu is new evidence of the frenzy now sweeping Rumanian anti-Semitic fanatics.

For years these spoiled darlings of Rumanian nationalism have tortured and murdered Jews. Now they are using the same methods against all their rivals.

Chief among the anti-Semite leaders is Professor A. C. Cuza. For two decades he has had no other aim than to incite students in the name of Christ to persecute Jews.

This professor has prepared many a pogrom and kept whole provinces in fear. He heads a political party and an ever-growing number of prominent politicians stoop to associate with him.

## GERMAN SMUGGLED IN BY PLANE ALLEGED FLOGGING IN BERLIN PRISON

Said to have been smuggled into England in an aeroplane to avoid confinement in a German concentration camp, Will Melchert, aged 34, a German engineer and journalist, was fined £10 and recommended for deportation by Sir Rollo Graham-Campbell, at Bow-street Police Court recently, for landing at Croydon without leave.

Mr. D. Collard (defending) said that Melchert had been a member of the German Social Democratic Party, which was proscribed when the present regime was established. In April, 1935, he was imprisoned in Berlin for having written articles for foreign newspapers on conditions in Germany without permission of the Minister of Propaganda.

While in prison, said Mr. Collard, he was beaten with rubber truncheons and confined in a dark cell approximately twice a week. In August, 1935, he was released under an amnesty law, conditionally on his residing in a certain quarter of Berlin, reporting daily to the police, being home by 8 p.m., and not taking up any kind of employment. While subject to these conditions a front page article bearing his name appeared in a Swiss newspaper. It described an interview with a man confined in a German concentration camp.

Realising that this would render him liable to five years in a concentration camp, Melchert fled the country, said Mr. Collard, and wandered penniless through Austria, Yugoslavia, Italy and Switzerland, to Le Hourget. There a pilot took pity on him and smuggled him into England in his plane. The Society of Friends here had made arrangements for him to emigrate to South America, where he could make a fresh start with his wife and two children.

Council added that he believed a convention had been signed—though not yet ratified—on behalf of the British Government, by which political refugees would not be deported to their country of origin.

The Magistrate—Where do you get that from? Mr. Collard—I have that from Mrs. Ormerod, of the Society of Friends. I understand there was a conference on July 4.

The Magistrate said that he felt bound to make a recommendation for deportation, but it was for the Home Secretary to determine whether it should be acted upon.

Even more violent than Cuza's "Christian Soldiers" marching to war against the Jews are the Iron Guards led by Captain Codreanu. They are armed, wear uniforms, are pledged themselves to commit any act, their leader commands. Their movement is enveloped in religious mysticism and many priests are in their ranks.

Some of their most ardent killers are theological students. Their political programme is very similar to Hitlerism. They are against all foreigners.

Of the 10,000,000 people living in Rumania 5,000,000 are foreigners. A million are Jews. And these foreigners, especially the Jews, hold very important positions.

So powerful is Jewish influence that sooner or later practically every big Jew-baiter is elected to a sinecure position in a Jewish firm. This feeds the popular belief that the Jews are the authors of Rumania's notorious civil corruption.

The slogan "Rumania for the Rumanians" is becoming a vital issue.

## Diamond Thief Was Tracked from Paris to Venezuela

Paris, Aug. 10.

THE tracking of a diamond thief from Paris to Venezuela and his arrest there by the man from whom the diamonds were stolen, was described in the Paris Criminal Courts when a diamond merchant named Rozanis was sentenced to 15 months' imprisonment for stealing diamonds and other precious stones, valued at 750,000 francs (£10,000).

Rozanis who was well known among Paris diamond merchants, was lent the jewels by a number of merchants on the understanding that he was to place them with a wealthy friend. On the following day he disappeared.

One of the Paris merchants, A. M. Havard, discovered that he was making for South America. Havard took the next boat, and after months of searching in Colombia and Venezuela, finally found Rozanis in Caracas.

Rozanis was arrested. He alleged that he had sold the gems to two men, Leon Mayer and Adolf Godenberg, before leaving Paris.

These men were sentenced to six months' imprisonment each and ordered to reimburse the merchants. —United Press.

## RADIO BROADCAST

Variety Concert From The Studio

RECORDED PROGRAMME

From Z. B. W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 kilocycles):  
4-7 p.m. Chinese Programme.  
7-11 p.m. European Programme.  
7 p.m. Selections from "The Gondollers" (Gilbert & Sullivan).  
7.18 p.m. Concert Waltzes.  
My Darling Waltz ("The Gipsy Baron") (J. Strauss); Life in the Vienna Prater.  
7.30 p.m. Harry Roy and his Tiger Ragamuffins.  
1. Waltz Medley; 2. Shine; My Sweetie went away; Sweet Jenny Lee; 3. Farewell Blues; You rascal you; Muddy Waters; 4. Sweet Sue, Just you; Hebble Jockies; I wonder where my baby is to-night.  
7.46 p.m. The London Piano Accordion Band.  
Wine Song ("Caravan"); Rememberance; I have lost my heart in Budapest; Calling me Home.  
8 p.m. Local; Time Signal, Weather Report, Stock Quotations and announcements.  
8.05 p.m. Variety Items.  
Songs—Melody from the Sky; Is it true what they say about Dixie?; Frances Langford; Orchestra—Wah-hoo! Tini't no use... Jimmy Dorsey and his Orchestra; Songs—It's Great to be in love again; A Waltz was born in Vienna... Turner Layton; Instrumental—Popallina Lullaby; Hallelujah... Ray Kinney.  
8.25 p.m. A Relay from Daventry.

Cricket: A running commentary by Howard Marshall on the third Test Match from the Oval, London.  
8.35 p.m. Marek Weber and his Orchestra.  
Spring's Delight—March and Intermezzo (Albion); Deutschermeister Regimental March (Jurek); Indra Waltz (Lincke); Love's Dream after the Ball (Czibulka); Blumenfeld, Op. 30 (Lange); Luna Waltz (Lincke); Love's Old Sweet Song (Molloy); Where my caravan has rested (Lohr).  
9 p.m. News and announcements from London.  
9.20 p.m. Two Folk Dances: The Flamborough Sword Dance (Sharpe); Kirby Malceard Sword Dance (Sharpe).  
9.30 p.m. From the Studio.  
Colleen Parker (Vocal); Albert Eddy (Piano); A. W. Whitehead (Saxophone).

Programme.  
1. Song—If you love me; 2. Saxophone Solo—Valse Vanille; 3. Piano Solo—Old Hungarian Melodies; 4. Song—Yeah! Man! 5. Saxophone Solo—Demande et Reponse; 6. Piano Solo—Old Hungarian Melodies; 7. Song—Tormented; 8. Saxophone Solo—Song—Plum; 9. Piano Solo—Old Hungarian Melodies.  
10 p.m. Big Ben from London.

Vocal Song Memories.  
Let's have a chorus; Honey-suckle and the Bee; If you want to know the time ask a policeman; Sweet Genevieve; At Trinity Church; Vive la Compagnie; When Johnny comes marching home.  
10.20 p.m. Dance Music by Jack Hylton and his Orchestra.  
11 p.m. Close Down.

ZEESON PROGRAMMES  
Special programmes for Far Eastern listeners will be broadcast from Zeeson as follows:

DJN 19.74 m 12.300 kc 1.25-3 p.m.  
DJN 19.74 m 12.300 kc 4.45-5.15 p.m.  
DJN 19.74 m 12.300 kc 5.45-6.15 p.m.  
DJN 19.74 m 12.300 kc 6.45-7.15 p.m.  
DJN 19.74 m 12.300 kc 7.45-8.15 p.m.  
DJN 19.74 m 12.300 kc 8.45-9.15 p.m.  
DJN 19.74 m 12.300 kc 9.45-10.15 p.m.

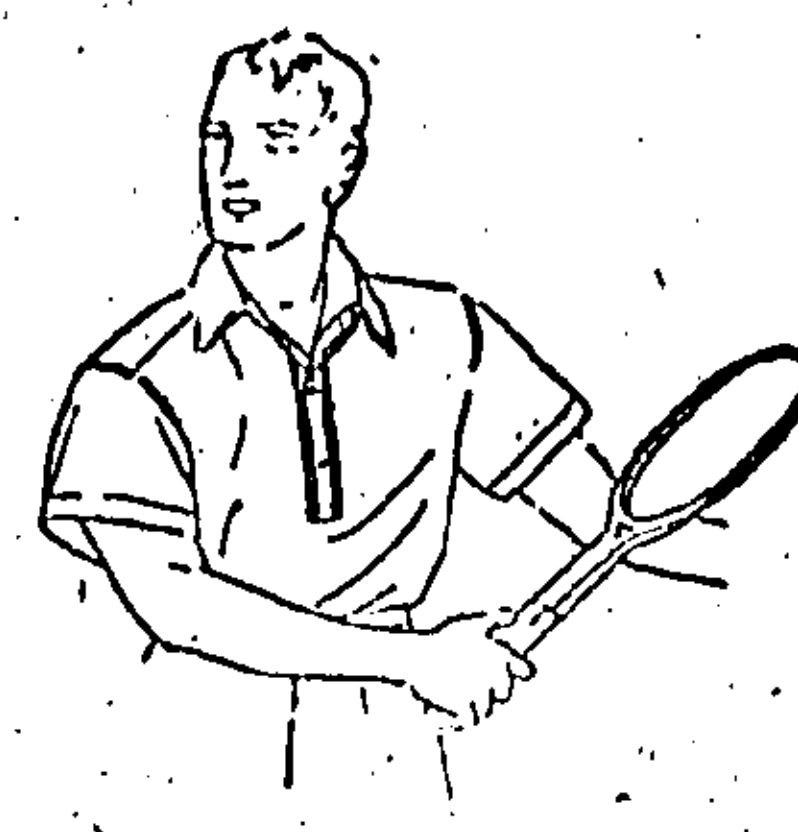
South Asia Zone broadcast from DJN (19.74 metres) and DJN (81.45 metres).  
1.05 p.m. German Folk Song.  
1.10 p.m. Merry tune.  
2 p.m. News in German.  
2.15 p.m. Merry tune (continued).  
2.25 p.m. Greetings to our listeners in New Zealand.  
3 p.m. News and Economic Review in English.  
3.15 p.m. Military Concert.  
3.20 p.m. New German Light Music.  
3.30 p.m. News and Economic Review in German.  
3.45 p.m. Quartet in a minor by Rudolf Kallitz.  
EAST ASIA ZONE  
East Asia Zone broadcast through DJN on 10.65 metres (16,280 kc) 1.10-3 p.m. Concert, news at 2 p.m.

1.05 p.m. German Folk Song.  
1.10 p.m. Merry tune.  
2 p.m. News in German.  
2.15 p.m. Merry tune (continued).  
2.25 p.m. Greetings to our listeners in the Dutch East Indies.  
8.30 p.m. The German Broadcasting A.B.C.  
8.35 p.m. Concert of Light Music.  
9 p.m. News and Economic Review in German.  
9.15 p.m. Orchestral Concert.  
10 p.m. News and Economic Review.  
10.15 p.m. Ticker in German, English, and French.  
10.30 p.m. Request Concert: Hello, hello! You wish to play.  
11.20 p.m. Hitler Youth Programme: Frederick the Great.

DAVENTRY PROGRAMMES  
The following wave-lengths and frequencies are served by Daventry.

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GBE 11.740 kc. 25.53 metres  
GBF 11.740 kc. 25.53 metres  
GBG 11.740 kc. 25.53 metres  
GBH 11.740 kc. 25.53 metres  
GBI 11.740 kc. 25.53 metres  
GBJ 11.740 kc. 25.53 metres  
GBK 11.740 kc. 25.53 metres  
GBL 11.740 kc. 25.53 metres

(G.B.L., G.B.K.)  
1.15 p.m. Big Ben, A Recital of Australian Songs by Australian Artists.  
Fraser Cox (Harmonium).  
1.40 p.m. "Pillbox Story"—Major Macintosh.  
2.25 p.m. The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra, directed by Henry Hall.  
2.55 p.m. The News and Announcements.  
Greenwich Time Signal at 3 p.m.  
Transmission 2.  
(G.B.C., G.B.K.)  
7 p.m. Big Ben, England v. All-India.



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7.15 p.m. The New Victoria Cinema Orchestra.

7.45 p.m. "Three Far cent. Cucumbers." A programme featuring water.

8.15 p.m. Dance Music.

8.25 p.m. England v. All-India.

8.35 p.m. The Celtic Harp Festival.

Greenwich Time Signal at 9 p.m.

9 p.m. The News and Announcements.

9.20 p.m. The Birmingham Theatre Royal.

9.25 p.m. Sir Seymour Hicks.

Transmission 3

(G.B.L., G.B.K.)

10 p.m. Big Ben, England v. All-India.

10.15 p.m. "World Affairs" by H. V.

10.30 p.m. The Clifford Quintet.

11 p.m. Military Band Concert.

11.25 p.m. England v. All-India.

11.35 p.m. The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra, directed by Henry Hall.

11.55 p.m. The News and Announcements.

Greenwich Time Signal at 12 a.m.

12.15 a.m. The Victor Old Sextet.

A dinner dance will be held on the Open Roof of Repulse Bay Lido, weather permitting, and at Repulse Bay Hotel in event of bad weather, on Wednesday at 8 p.m.

Two cases of Typhoid were reported to the local Health Authorities during the week-end.

## Help Kidneys

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Your kidneys have also million tiny tubes or filters which are endangered by neglect or drastic irritating drugs. Beware! If kidney trouble or bladder weakness makes you suffer from Getting Up Night, Leg Pain, Nervousness, Dizziness, Blurred Vision, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuritis, Bursitis, Itching, Smelling, Acidity or Loss of Vigor, don't delay. Try the Doctor's new discovery called Cystex (Bla-lex). Soothes, tones, cleans, and heals sick kidneys. Starts work in 15 minutes. Brings new health, youth and vitality in 48 hours. Cystex costs little and is guaranteed to end your troubles in 8 days or money back. At all chemists.



# ATTEMPT TO SOLVE H. K. SOCCER DIFFICULTIES

## TWELVE TEAMS IN DIV. I IS SUGGESTED COMMITTEE CAUTIONED BY COL. HARRISON FULL REPORT OF DISCUSSION

(By "Veritas")

When the Council of the Hongkong Football Association met last evening at the Sports Club they discovered that the Management Committee, in its determination to find ways and means of assuring a smoother working of the forthcoming season, had adopted a proposal which was contrary to the majority voting at the annual meeting of the Association. For this a minute of caution (it was regarded as a censure by one member of the Council) was recorded, while at the same time the meeting adopted the minutes of the management committee.

And although this quaint position involved some considerable discussion, the principal point was that the management committee had decided to restrict the number of teams competing in the first division to 12, while there should be no limitation to the numbers taking part in the second and third divisions.

### NOT YET SETTLED

Even so it is not yet decided whether there will be twelve or more teams in the first division next season. The Appeals Board will probably hear appeals from two clubs whose applications for admission to the senior division were turned down by the management committee. Should these appeals be successful, the first division will be composed of 14 teams, as last season.

The management committee reported that at its first meeting held a fortnight ago, it was agreed to limit the number of teams in the first division to twelve, while all entries for the second and third divisions should be accepted.

At a subsequent meeting an amendment was put forward that the first division should not be restricted in this manner, but this was defeated on the vote.

Col. H. C. Harrison, who presided, asked if the proposal to restrict the number of teams to twelve was put forward at the annual meeting.

Mr. W. Pryde said when he seconded the resolution at the management committee's first meeting he had quite forgotten the annual meeting.

### WHY PROPOSAL WAS

Mr. McKelvie explained that the reasons which induced them to put forward and adopt the proposal was that the clubs were faced with the proposition of 122 league games to be played over 31 Saturdays. Quite a lot of clubs were not desirous of playing on Sundays, therefore they had to evolve some means of seeing the season's fixtures were completed within scheduled time.

Mr. Pryde said that after he had voted for the restriction of teams, it was pointed out to him that the annual meeting had been against any such reduction, and he had accordingly put forward an amendment at the next meeting. He wanted to point out that although there were some teams who did not want to

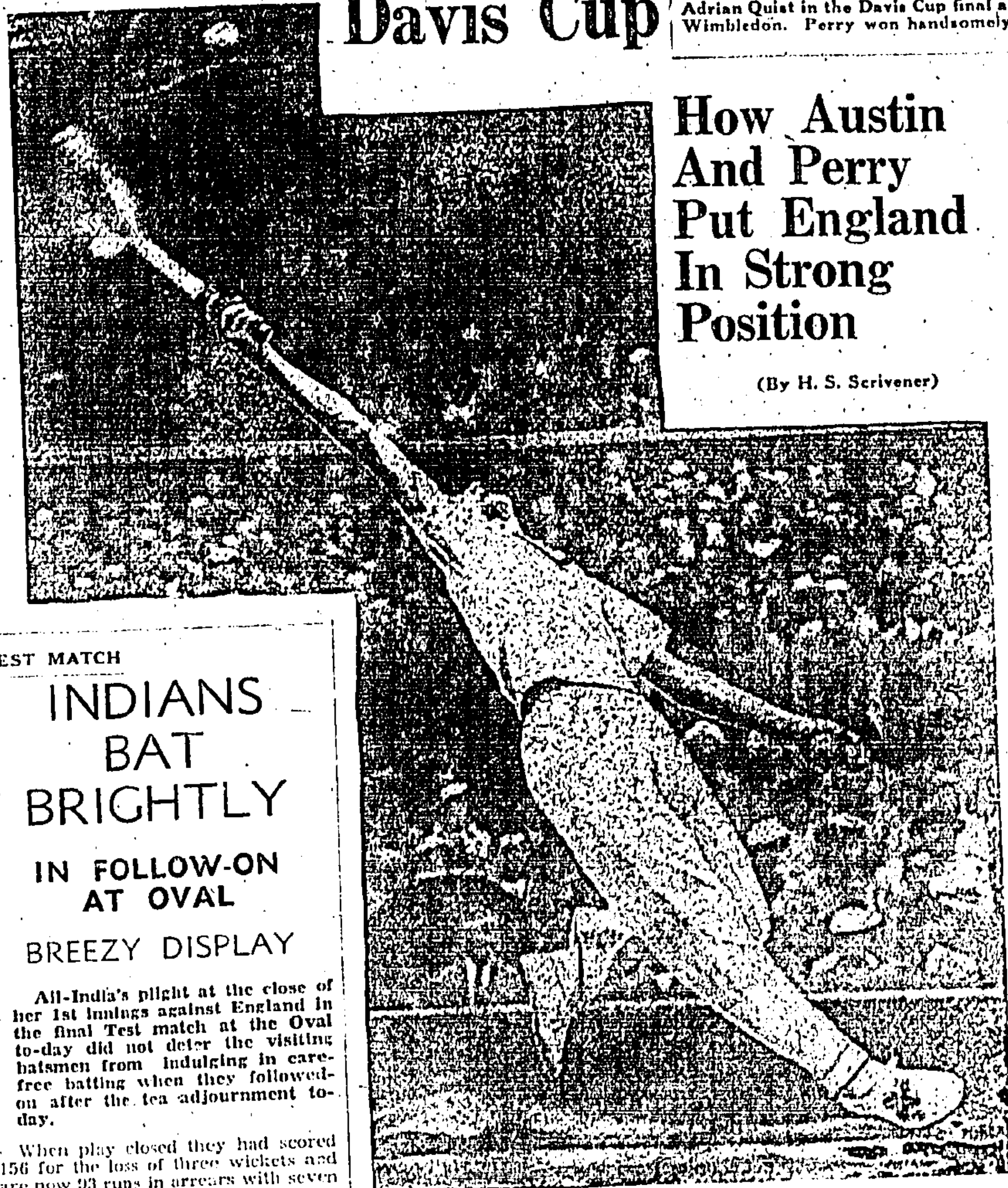
### M.C.C. SECRETARY COMPLIMENTED

### Presentations To Mr. W. Findlay

London, Aug. 17. A presentation was made at the Kensington Oval to-day to Mr. W. Findlay on behalf of Cricket Boards of Control of Australia and South Africa, India and West Indies as a token of appreciation of his courtesy as Secretary of the Marylebone Cricket Club from 1926 to 1936 and as tribute to his services to empire cricket.

New Zealand have also made presentation to Findlay.—British Wire.

## Stirring Defence Of Davis Cup



### How Austin And Perry Put England In Strong Position

(By H. S. Scrivener)

No wonder the spectators gasped when Fred Perry reached for the sky in endeavouring to take a ball from Adrian Quist in the Davis Cup final at Wimbledon. Perry won handsomely.

### TEST MATCH

## INDIANS BAT BRIGHTLY IN FOLLOW-ON AT OVAL BREEZY DISPLAY

All-India's plight at the close of her 1st innings against England in the final Test match at the Oval to-day did not deter the visiting batsmen from indulging in care-free batting when they followed-on after the tea adjournment to-day.

When play closed they had scored 156 for the loss of three wickets and are now 93 runs in arrears with seven wickets intact.

Following-on with a deficit of 249, the Indians went out for runs and indulged in bold batting in spite of the adverse conditions.

Merchant was very enterprising and hit up 48 in 55 minutes, including five boundaries.

Amar Singh contributed a breezy 44 in 26 minutes, his best hits being seven fours.

Hammond caught Mustaq Ali somewhat curiously—the ball first flying from Voe's left hand.

Hussain stayed to make 30 not out and Jibini was twelve not out at close of play.

All India's second innings score now reads as follows:

ALL-INDIA—SECOND INNINGS	
Mustaq Ali, c Hammond, b Allen	17
V. M. Merchant, c Worthington, b Allen	48
D. Hussain, not out	30
Amar Singh, c Sims, b Verity	44
Baga Jibini, not out	12
Extras	5
(for 3 wickets)	156

### YORKS' BIG WIN

London, Aug. 17. Yorkshire, who are once again on the road for the county cricket championship, scored another handsome victory to-day when they beat Somerset by an innings and 165 runs.

Somerset scored 130 (Bowes 5 for 37) and 76 (Bowes 5 for 20), while Yorkshire, in their one visit to the crease hit up 360.

Turner compiled 130 and Wood 97.—Reuter.

## Jesse Owens Considering \$40,000 Offer

### SAILING FOR NEW YORK

London, Aug. 17. Jesse Owens, the sensational Negro American Olympic athlete, has announced that he is sailing for New York by the Queen Mary on Wednesday to consider professional offers.

Dan Ferris, Secretary of the A.A.U., announced that Owens is liable to be automatically suspended in the event of his not participating in the Stockholm athletic meeting.

Coach Larry Sluder announced to-day that Owens has not yet turned professional, although he has been strongly tempted. Nevertheless he is definitely sailing for the United States on Wednesday.

A message from Hollywood states that Eddie Cantor announced that Owens has cabled him that the \$40,000 offer "sounds very attractively," and he is asking for further details.—United Press.

London, July 27. Everybody with any knowledge of Davis Cup history is aware that the side which can win both matches on the opening day of a tie is more or less on velvet, and that was the happy position of Great Britain, for on the first day of play H. W. Austin and F. J. Perry overcame the two Australians, J. H. Crawford and A. K. Quist, respectively in each case in four sets.

Of the two victories I rate Austin's as the higher, not so much because it was his first against his great rival, as because his brains and his skill combined enabled him gradually to master and in the end overcome completely a man who at the start was just about reproducing the play of his vintage year, 1935, when he won the championship, beating Vines in the final.

Incidentally, Austin and Crawford met in the Davis Cup in that year, and Austin, like Crawford on Saturday, was mastered after the first set, but since then he has become an equal, at least, of any Davis Cup player in the world. This competition, with its pauses, suits him; a strenuous fortnight like Wimbledon suits him far less.

Quite early in the first set it became obvious that Crawford has the service pull. He is not a "barber," but he can pound a ball or two of the down to within an inch or two of the net, and then he is a real trouble.

He had a job to win his service for 2-1, and lost it on the fifth game, picked up to 3-3 with the help of a double fault by Crawford, but won again on another dropped service game (3-4), and Crawford was out on his own at 6-4 to 15—a quick set of a little over 20 minutes.

The wind was high and according to its wont when it once gets inside the arena went wobbling round in eddies and probably caused a few "bloopers" from both ends which we did not expect to see.

In the second set Austin seemed to have arrived at a plan of campaign. He could press Crawford hard without hurting himself, so he rightly judged, and he accordingly proceeded to do so, giving Crawford much less time for "maturating his felonious little plans" and generally doing his best to make his life a burden to him. Crawford had to pull out two of his extra special services to save the fourth game, and lost his service through double faulting to put Austin in the winning 4-2 position, and he made no bones about consolidating it at 6-3, 25 more minutes of sparkle.

### AUSTIN'S EARLY BREAK

Austin "broke" Crawford for 1-0 at the very beginning of the third set, just managed to pull off his own service for 2-0, and that was a point from which he never really looked back, but after he had gone easily to 5-0, because Crawford was now

### Our Daily Golf Hint

Clean hitting—I cannot too often repeat this great truth—is the real secret of putting. It, and it alone, will secure that both strength and direction are right.

Jack White.

## FIRST-CLASS CRICKET AVERAGES

## No Important Changes

(Up To And Including July 25)

	Not Out	Inns.	Out.	Runs	Highest	Avg.
Fulford	24	11	1649	135*	71.69	
Lythwood	27	5	1210	263	55.00	
Townsend, R. P.	31	4	1238	182*	45.85	
Harbottle	23	4	817	145	45.00	
A. Melville	46	0	688	142	43.00	
R. C. M. Kingston	19	1	765	110*	42.50	
Henderson	35	2	1307	202	42.33	
Langridge, James	22	4	1074	105	41.30	
N. B. Mitchell-Jones	22	3	916	207	40.82	
Worthington	31	2	1178	174	40.52	
Gibbett	35	5	1211	160*	40.36	
Parker	19	10	357	77*	39.64	
E. R. T. Holmes	30	2	1167	171*	39.53	
C. S. Dempster	21	4	787	164*	39.35	
N. W. D. Yardley	21	4	666	110*	39.17	
Compton, D.	19	2	659	100*	38.75	
Stanley, H.	36	1	1121	174	38.65	
Parks, H.	36	1	1124	257	38.11	
Page	31	5	1660	110*	36.75	
P. N. Pearson	37	1	1313	150*	36.47	
Hendri	37	1	1313	150*	36.47	
Stuart, C. (Glen)	29	5	871	123	36.29	
Harris	31	5	931	135	35.92	
Cress	31	5	931	135	35.92	
Verity	29	2	537	129	35.38	
J. T. Harrell	29	2	537	129	35.38	
Paynter	26	7	1019	132	34.87	
Adams	33	1	1095	130	34.25	
Barber	29	4	845	136	34.06	
Armstrong	24	2	718	117*	34.00	

### BOWLING

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Avg.
Verity	79.5	244	168	148	11.28
Lythwood	62.5	163	125	106	11.80
Larwood	47.5	118	117	87	12.83
Smith, J. (Middle)	65.5	180	133	84	12.80
Bowes	45.5	85	112	74	14.18
Stanley	41.5	85	112	74	14.18
Pope, A. V.	53.1	174	302	43	15.62
Townsend, R. P.	52.1	102	174	45	15.66
J. C. Clay	53.1	51	104	37	16.10
Gower	73.1	129	216	123	16.51
Jackman	29.5	136	143	88	16.96
Gasman	42.5	148	154	66	17.03
Nichols	38.5	127	139	78	17.03
H. W. V. Hobbs	55.5	82	107	58	17.38
Hammond, H. E.	20.5	64	712	41	17.36
(Sussex)	20.5	64	712	41	17.36
Geary	20.5	156	1517	88	17.57
Verity	104.5	210	2173	123	17.66
Sinfield	67.5	116	1010	57	17.68
Welland	62.5	132	1010	57	17.68
Major C. K. Nayudu	29	0	822	83	28.34
J. P. Jai	18	2	282	85	25.63
S. Wazir Ali	16	3	299	85	23.93
(Also batted: D. Hussain, 2.)					

### ALL-INDIA

### BATTING

	Not Out	Inns.	Out.	Runs	Highest	Avg.
V. M. Merchant	29	4	1074	161	66.87	
C. Hammond	12	3	345	127*	28.13	
Amar Singh	22	1	209	77	29.82	
Major C. K. Nayudu	29	0	822	83	28.34	
J. P. Jai	18	2	282	85	25.63	
S. Wazir Ali	16	3	299	85	23.93	

### BOWLING

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Avg.
Amar Singh	29.7	78	365	22	16.59
Mahomed Nissar	43.3	101	1240	54	22.96
V. M. Merchant	66.5	15	173	7	24.71
S. R. Nayudu	18	7	435	17	25.58
S. Banerjee	28.3	23	731	27	27.07
Major C. K. Nayudu	33.7	46	1011	37	27.32

## INTERPORT LAWN BOWLS PLANS FIXED

## Nine Matches For H.K. Team

At a meeting of the Shanghai Lawn Bowls Association held on Monday last the Interport programme against Hongkong in September was issued.

The Hongkong Interport team will arrive in Shanghai by the S.S. Empress of Asia on September 8, owing to their late arrival on that date no match has been arranged. The team will leave again for Hongkong on September 10. The following is the full programme of matches they will play:—

Monday, Sept. 7 Rees Recreation Ground (Rees green).  
Tuesday, Sept. 8 Eastlano Hong-kew Park (C. L. green).  
Wednesday Sept. 9 1st. INTER-PORT Hongkew Park (P.L.B.C. green).

Thursday, Sept. 10 Country Club Country Club green.  
Friday, Sept. 11 S.L.B.C. Recreation Ground (S.L.B.C. green).  
Saturday, Sept. 12 2nd INTER-PORT Wayside Park (Y.B.C. green).

Sunday, Sept. 13 Hongkew G.C. Hongkew Park (H.G.C. green).  
Monday, Sept. 14 3rd INTER-PORT Recreation Ground (Rees green).  
Tuesday, Sept. 15 Junior G.C. Golf Club green.

All matches will start at 3 p.m. The umpires will be T. G. J. d'Almeida and P. W. Ephgrave. The Interport dinner will be held on Monday, September 14, those wishing to attend are requested to send in their names to the Hon. Secretary of the Association by Friday, September 11.

### HANKOW INTERPORT

The team picked for Shanghai will leave on Friday, September 28 for Hankow. The names of those willing to make the trip are to be in the hands of the Hon. Secretary of the Association by August 18.

## NEW WORLD RECORDS SANCTIONED

## I.A.A.F. Recognize Five Made During Olympic Games

Berlin, Aug. 11. Five new world records set at the Olympic Games here last week have been officially recognised by the International Amateur Athletic Federation. The new marks are: 110-Metres Hurdles: Forrest Towns, U.S.A., 14.4 seconds.  
1500-Metres Race: Jack Lovelock, New Zealand, 3 minutes, 47.3 seconds.  
Hon. Step, and Jump: Naoto Tajima, Japan, 16 metres.  
400-Metres Relay: Owens, Metcalfe, Draper, Wykoff, U.S.A., 39.8 seconds.  
Decathlon: Glenn Morris, U.S.A., 7,000 points.—Havas.

Lou Barry and Eric Phelps will meet for the English professional sculling championship over the Putney-Mortlake course on September 2. Stokes are £200 stakes.—Reuter.

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## ELEANOR HOLM JARRETT DEFENDS HERSELF

"EVERYBODY KNOWS THAT I AM  
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BUT PROTESTS SHE WAS MADE  
THE SCAPEGOAT

Berlin, July 27.

Beautiful twenty-two-year-old Eleanor Holm Jarrett, the American champion swimmer who has been dropped from the U.S. Olympic team because she broke training rules on the voyage over, paced up and down her hotel room here to-day and said:—

I have been made the scapegoat of the trip.

"I never made any secret about the fact that I like a good time and that I am particularly fond of champagne."

"Every one knows that, including the Olympic Committee. Why did they have to wait until we were out in mid-Atlantic before suddenly deciding that my conduct was unbearable, or that I was a bad influence on the rest of the boys and girls?"

"There are at least a hundred offenders, one way and the other."

### OPEN BAR

"There were cocktail parties every night on board and the athletes as a whole received little attention from the committee."

"There was no general rule against athletes drinking. The bar was open to them every night."

Mrs. Jarrett accused the United States officials of "disgracing themselves" at a "mock marriage" and "mock trial" on board. "These," she says, "were so shocking that many of the athletes walked out of the social hall."

She is remaining in Berlin considering a film offer from a British company and offers from newspapers to report the Olympics.

## BOXERS AND PROMOTERS

TO PAY NEW LEVY  
BY BOARD

At the annual meeting of the British Boxing Board of Control in London last month it was decided to impose a levy upon future contracts in certain tournaments. Colonel R. E. Middleton, president of the meeting, which lasted five hours.

The Board decided that in all championship contests of Great Britain, British Empire, Europe and the world, and also from all tournaments at which the gross takings for admission are £2,500 or more, when promoted in Great Britain, five per cent of the gate receipts, after entertainment tax has been deducted, shall be paid by the promoter to the British Boxing Board of Control.

### REFEREES' FEES

The money shall be paid as follows: Five per cent of the money received by each boxer, after deducting £50 training expenses, contesting the championship chief contest, and the balance by the promoter.

In the event of the gate receipts being less than the amounts stipulated and paid to the boxers (jointly) five per cent of the boxers' money only to be paid. The B.B.B. of C. will supply referee, timekeeper, inspectors, gloves and bandages, in addition to belts, cups or emblems and pensions as hereafter given.

Referees' fees will be charged on a rising scale. For purses up to £100 the fee will be three guineas; up to £500 one guinea to be added for each additional £50, up to £2,000 one guinea to be added for each additional £100, and over £2,000 the fee will be settled by the Board.

The deductions will apply to charity promotions whether they include championship contests or not. Lord Lonsdale has agreed to invest his name in Lord Lonsdale Belts in perpetuity to the B.B.B. of C. A resolution was passed that the new belts must always remain to be passed on to the various winners, and any man winning one belt three times should be given a replica of the trophy.

Alterations to rules include a clause that a registered boxer under the Board must be over the age of sixteen years.

## OLYMPIC GAMES

Germany Announces  
Herself Winner

### U.S.A. SECOND

Berlin, Aug. 16.

Germany announces herself to be the winner of the Olympic Games with 500.75 points.

The United States, however, may be expected to dispute this, for many of Germany's points are from minor events such as city planning, art and gymnastics.

Hence the Americans also are proudly pointing to their record—United Press.

### UNOFFICIAL STANDINGS POINTS WON BY ALL COMPETING COUNTRIES

Berlin, Aug. 16.

The following is the unofficial standing of the various countries participating in the 119 events of the Olympic Games:

Germany	580 3/4	Points
United States	470 5/6	
Italy	186 13/22	
Sweden	167 1/11	
Hungary	158 2/11	
France	153 13/22	
Japan	152 9/10	
Finland	145 1/4	
Holland	136 1/13	
Great Britain	116 1/11	
Austria	99 2/11	
Canada	55 13/22	
Switzerland	53	
Czechoslovakia	48	
Poland	47	
Estonia	46	
Denmark	41 1/2	
Norway	36	
Egypt	35	
Turkey	19 1/5	
Belgium	18	
Latvia	11	
Romania	11	
India	10 1/2	
New Zealand	10	
Philippines	9	
South Africa	9	
Brazil	6	
Australia	5 1/3	
Portugal	4 1/5	
Jugoslavia	4	
Luxembourg	3	
Greece	2	
Uruguay	1	

—United Press.

## AMERICAN TENNIS

Donald Budge Becomes  
Eastern Champion

—New York, Aug. 16.

Bobby Riggs, the Los Angeles high-school boy, who caused a sensation in the semi-finals of the Eastern Grass-court tennis championship at Eyn by beating Bryan (Bile) Grant, was defeated in the final today when he met Donald Budge.

Riggs won the first set from the Wimbledon semi-finalist, but thereafter he was soundly beaten.

The scores were 6-8, 6-2, 6-4 and 6-3 in favour of Donald Budge.

### WOMEN'S SINGLES

Madame Sylvia Henrotin of France won the Women's Singles title when she defeated Miss Helen Pederson, of Stamford, Conn., by 5-7, 6-2, 4-2.

Another sensation was caused in the final of the Women's Doubles by the defeat of Miss Caroline Babcock and Miss J. Van Ryn at the hands of Miss Dorothy Workman and Miss Dorothy May Sutton Bundy, of California, who won by 6-2, 10-12 and 6-2.—United Press.



Mrs. Eleanor Holm Jarrett.

## Stirring Defence Of Davis Cup

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was that there were times when he (Perry) was hard put to it to prevent Quist every now and again from coming out on top. But, as I have indicated, it was not a really satisfactory match.

They began at 4.30, and, after Perry had won the first game (serving), rain stopped them until 5.10, when Perry won Quist's service for 2-0 and only dropped one more game (during which Quist served finely) while going out at 6-1. Quist then got his knife in and was leading by 4-2 when, with the score at 30-30 in the next game, rain caused another break from 5.40 to 6.3.

Winning against the service in the adjourned game (4-3 to Quist), Perry squared at 4-4, but was down again (4-5), and then lost his service to give Quist the set by missing a smash. Not so good.

The third set was a most peculiar one. Perry, partly put off by extraneous happenings, became involved in the throes of an ominous set-back, during which Quist was, while going to 5-1, master of the situation, and playing what looked to be (for the time being) a winning game.

### A SUDDEN SWING OVER

Then, suddenly, there was a swing over. Quist began to falter and to fall (I wonder whether it was a case of the familiar "This is too good to be true" complex?) and Perry simultaneously regained his health and strength. He actually won that set from 1-5 down with a run of 6 games, and there is not much doubt that he was lucky, while doing so but he also brought out his brave shots with unerring nerve when they were needed. And do we not all know that fortune favours the brave? Perry's "break" which took him to 6-5 was a masterpiece.

They retired (at 6.40) for the ten minutes interval and then Perry came back to put paid to Australia's account for that day, at any rate, at 6-2.

In the fourth game Perry was faulted on a second service from the service end, not by the foot fault judge, but by the man in charge of the half-court line. Perry, either because he was out to plant one "down the middle" or else in order to dodge the shadows of the late afternoon, was serving from as near to the middle of the base-line as possible, and the middle man evidently thought that he had got a foot in forbidden ground. But his call of "fault!" was just a trifle premature.

Perry had yet to hit the ball, and hearing the call, stored his hand, so that the blow which he was in the act of delivering did not materialise. Had the situation been a tense one, trouble might have arisen, for the referee might have been called upon to deal with a rather ticklish point of law under the rules for which there is probably a precedent, but of which I am not aware. However, Perry in the circumstances made no bones about the fault, chatted pleasantly with the linesmen as to what he had done, and then went on to win the match.

## ATTEMPT TO SOLVE COLONY SOCCER DIFFICULTIES

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would be well advised to consult the Council in such cases.

The Chairman observed that in this case the management committee had gone contrary to the annual general meeting. Lieut. Chaplin pointed out that if the number of teams in the first division was not reduced, the season would extend into the middle of June. The only reason why this did not happen last season was because in one case the Recreation refused to play after a certain date, and another because with the Chinese going to Berlin, a large number of mid-week matches were played.

Mr. McKelvie said it was ridiculous that football in Hongkong should be played in the middle of May. Mr. G. Shee said he thought it would be fairer to the management committee if it was stated that the principle of non-limitation of teams in all divisions, found that special circumstances led them to believe that it would be better if for at least that season, the number of teams in the first division should be restricted to twelve.

Mr. McKelvie pointed out that the scheme was a trial, and was not a hard and fast rule.

### CAUTION NOT CENSURE

The Chairman said the management committee had to be careful when it came to a question of policy and in regard to rules. The Council did not want to take any power out of the committee's hands, but it was the duty of the Council to see that the wishes of the annual general meeting be carried out.

Mr. H. K. Lee said he emphatically objected to that statement. It was tantamount to a censure.

Col. Harrison:—It is not a censure; it is a caution. You can object all night if you like. Mr. Gungam enquired what were the reasons for the management committee rejecting the application of Eastern Athletic and Kowloon Chinese Football Club for membership of the first division. If they went before the Appeals Board they knew why they were there. Doubtless the Committee had a good reason for turning down the applications, but he thought the clubs should know what it was.

The Chairman:—Because there is a limited number of teams in the division. At this point the discussion on the limitation of teams was terminated, the position apparently being that in the event of there being no appeal

by Eastern Athletic and Kowloon Chinese F.C., or in the event of such appeals being unsuccessful, the first division next season will be limited to twelve teams.

**MORE PROBLEMS**  
The next business of importance was the fixing of an opening date of the 1936-37 season.

Mr. T. G. Stokes moved that it be the last week in September.

Mr. Warren pointed out that the Navy could not hope to start their fixtures until the middle of October. There would not be 200 people in Hongkong all told up to that time.

Mr. Stokes:—They can play mid-week matches.

Lieut. Chaplin:—Who against? Some teams don't want to play mid-week.

Mr. G. Shee:—South China's first team will not be back until November.

Mr. Stokes:—Then they must pick up the first month's fixtures as quickly as possible.

Lieut. Chaplin said he doubted whether there would be sufficient number of grounds to fulfil all of the matches. If there were postponements, they would find there were not enough grounds available.

Col. Harrison enquired that if working on the basis of twelve teams in the first division, what was the latest time they could start the season.

Mr. McKelvie suggested the last Saturday in September.

Mr. Warren said he would like the Association to arrange that the Navy should not be called upon to play their matches until October as they would not be here.

Mr. McKelvie in extending the argument that many teams did not like to play on Sunday, and could not during the week because of business calls, emphasised that no team could be compelled to play on a Sunday.

Mr. Warren:—But we can compel you to play during mid-week. Finally it was decided that the season should officially start on the last Saturday in September.

New York, Aug. 16.

Mike Jacobs, boxing promoter of the Twentieth Century Club, announces that the sale of tickets during the week-end indicates that 40,000 spectators will see the fight between Jack Sharkey and Joe Louis, which has been scheduled for Tuesday, August 18.

It is expected that the gate receipts will total \$220,000. The "Brown Bomber" has been made an 8-5 favourite to win.—United Press.

## Another Sad Story Of English County Cricket

Thousands of Pounds Lost  
By Clubs

London, July 25.

"Considerable bright intervals" is the best that can be said of the week-end weather prospects. Another rain-bringing disturbance is likely to reach Britain from the Atlantic within 36 hours.

After that paragraph of gloom a whole chapter is provided by the financial losses of the county cricket clubs this season through the long succession of "no play" days.

Not a ball was bowled throughout the land on Thursday—the worst day in first-class cricket for more than four years. Below is the dreary story told in terms of £. s. d.

### SURREY—£3,000

"The weather has interfered with most matches," an official at the Oval said.

### NOTTS—£2,500

Notts are experiencing the worst summer since 1907. At the third day of the Glamorgan match at Trent Bridge yesterday, after a blank day on Thursday, the attendance was less than 500.

### YORKSHIRE—£2,000

Rain has already cost Yorkshire well over £2,000.

During the season six days' play have been lost in home matches. Apart from two early games—at Lord's and Swansea—the team have not had a clear three-day match.

### LANCASHIRE—£1,500

Lancs. have not suffered quite so badly as the White Rose county.

Capt. R. Howard, the secretary, said the club had lost between £1,200 and £1,500 through rain so far.

### DERBYSHIRE—£1,500

Derbyshire's loss this season compares with an improvement of £1,000 during a similar period last year.

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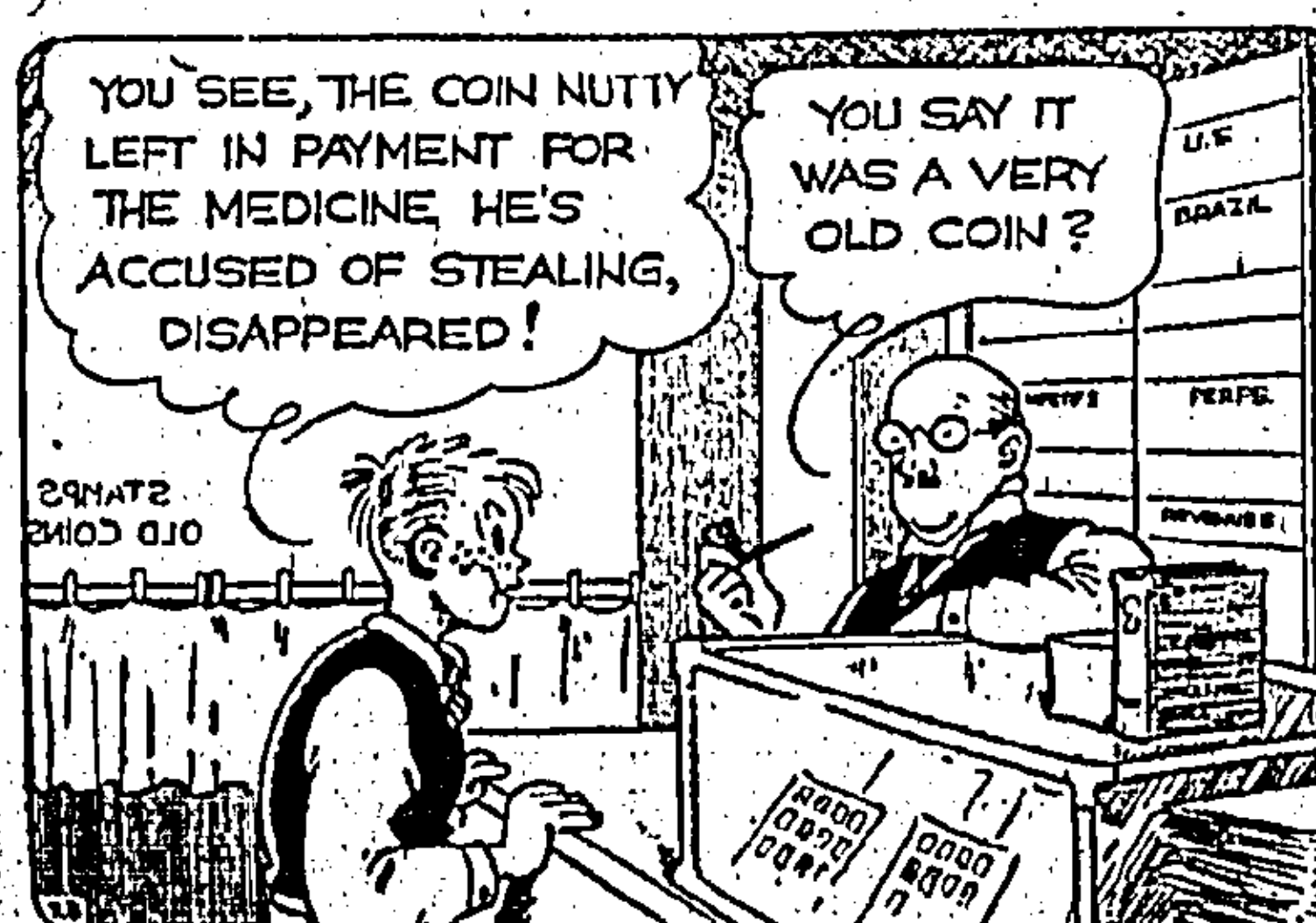
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Hampshire have been more fortunate than the other clubs because they had a number of home matches in the early part of the season.

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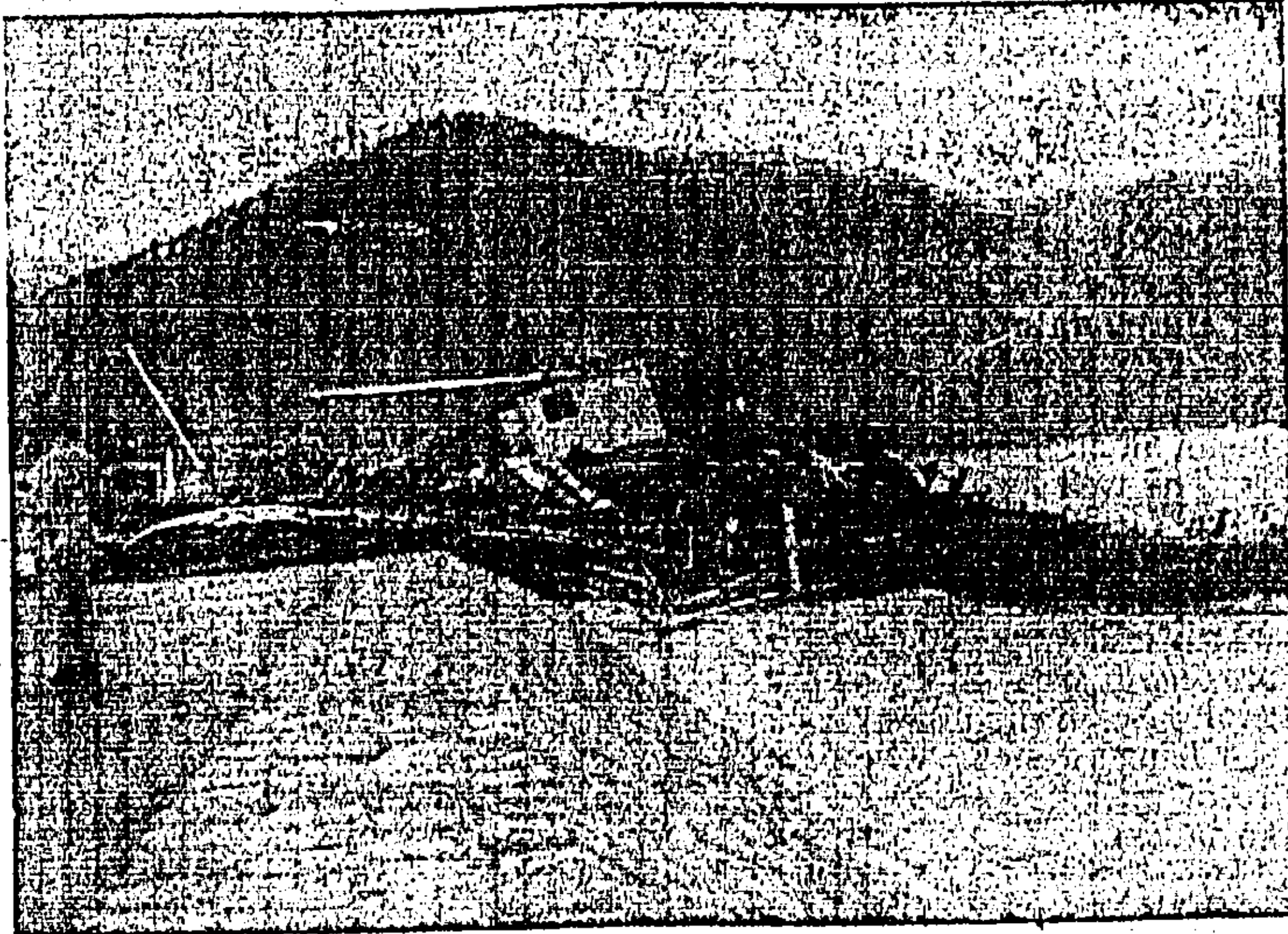
# Hongkong Telegraph PHOTONEWS

HAPPENINGS  
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THE CAMERA'S EYE

## TYPHOON HAVOC—EXCLUSIVE PHOTOGRAPHS



The Dollar Steamship Company's vessel Chief Capilano, which dragged its anchor to the China Light and Power Company's wharf at Hung Hom. It was refloated, undamaged, yesterday afternoon.



All that remains of the river ferry steamer Shun Mon, which was blown against the Dairy Farm wharf at Lai-chikok and battered into matchwood. Five men were saved.



These two cars were left outside the Peninsula Hotel on Sunday night. The picture tells its own story.



A scene on the island during the height of the floods. IN CENTRE—The Chinese Custom's Cruiser Hoi Chow aground in Kowloon Bay, alongside a Chinese tenement. On the left is the hulk of a British submarine wrecked in the 1923 typhoon.



This was once popular Lai-chikok beach and a 80 ft. roadway that skirted it. The entire reclamation has been washed away to a depth of 200 feet.

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E/Asia	Sept. 4	Sept. 6	Sept. 8	Sept. 10	Sept. 12	Sept. 21	Sept. 21
E/Canada	Sept. 18	Sept. 20		Sept. 23	Sept. 25	Oct. 2	Oct. 7
E/Russia	Oct. 3	Oct. 5	Oct. 6	Oct. 8	Oct. 10	Oct. 19	Oct. 19
E/Japan	Oct. 16	Oct. 18		Oct. 21	Oct. 23	Oct. 29	Nov. 3
E/Asia	Oct. 30	Nov. 1	Nov. 3	Nov. 5	Nov. 7	Nov. 10	Nov. 10
E/Canada	Nov. 13	Nov. 15		Nov. 18	Nov. 20	Nov. 27	Dec. 2
E/Russia	Nov. 25	Nov. 27	Nov. 29	Dec. 1	Dec. 3	Dec. 12	Dec. 12
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### CINEMA NOTES

Jack Hulbert's chin may not be the most prominent part of the film "Bulldog Jack," but it is very much in evidence and carries him round many a tight corner. The film is showing to-day at the King's Theatre. As a substitute for Bulldog, Dr. Jekyll, who has been disabled in one of the most thrilling car "accidents" the average person has ever witnessed, Bulldog Jack does remarkably well in the sleuth line. If he is put off the scent by mistaken clues it is only in the early stages of his investigations, and these episodes are so really funny, because they are acted in concert with that sublime portrayal of silly ass roles, Claude Hulbert, that the tense moments of real drama are perfectly balanced with rippling laughter. For instance, one moment the blood runs cold as the dangers ever present during the adventures of Jack and Claude in an underground tunnel, and the next sees the superbly silly pair outwitting the master mind of crime. Again, in the midst of a succession of anxious moments for the onlooker sitting comfortably in his seat, Jack upturns a table and switchback speed a spiral staircase at switchback speed to the vast enjoyment of the audience, but to the consternation of his enemies. The work of Fay Wray in "Bulldog Jack" was difficult in the extreme. Her plight is such an anxious one and her fear for her grandfather's safety so realistically intense, that it must have been difficult to smile naturally in the story, yet the temptation to do so when her two wellwishers got together must have been extremely strong. As the villain of the piece, Ralph Richardson has that suave assurance sufficient to disarm the suspicion of Scotland Yard's best brains. His idea of substituting the jewels adorning the goddess of the hundred hands in the British Museum, and his plans for carrying such a daring scheme out, require something more than ordinary determination, and he stops at nothing—not even murder. In the British Museum, Bulldog Jack finds himself unarmed and surrounded by a reckless gang of criminals with revolvers ready for action. The slow ease by which he hides fortunately contains a good stock of boomerangs, and Jack with unerring aim, lays out the thieves one by one and en-

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compasses their downfall. Although for the moment the chief robber gets away and drives a tube train with such reckless abandon that disaster seems inevitable, Bulldog Jack is again on the scene, and able to act just in time to save everybody and to complete the work he has undertaken on behalf of that great sleuth, "Bulldog Drummond."

#### "Broadway Melody of 1936"

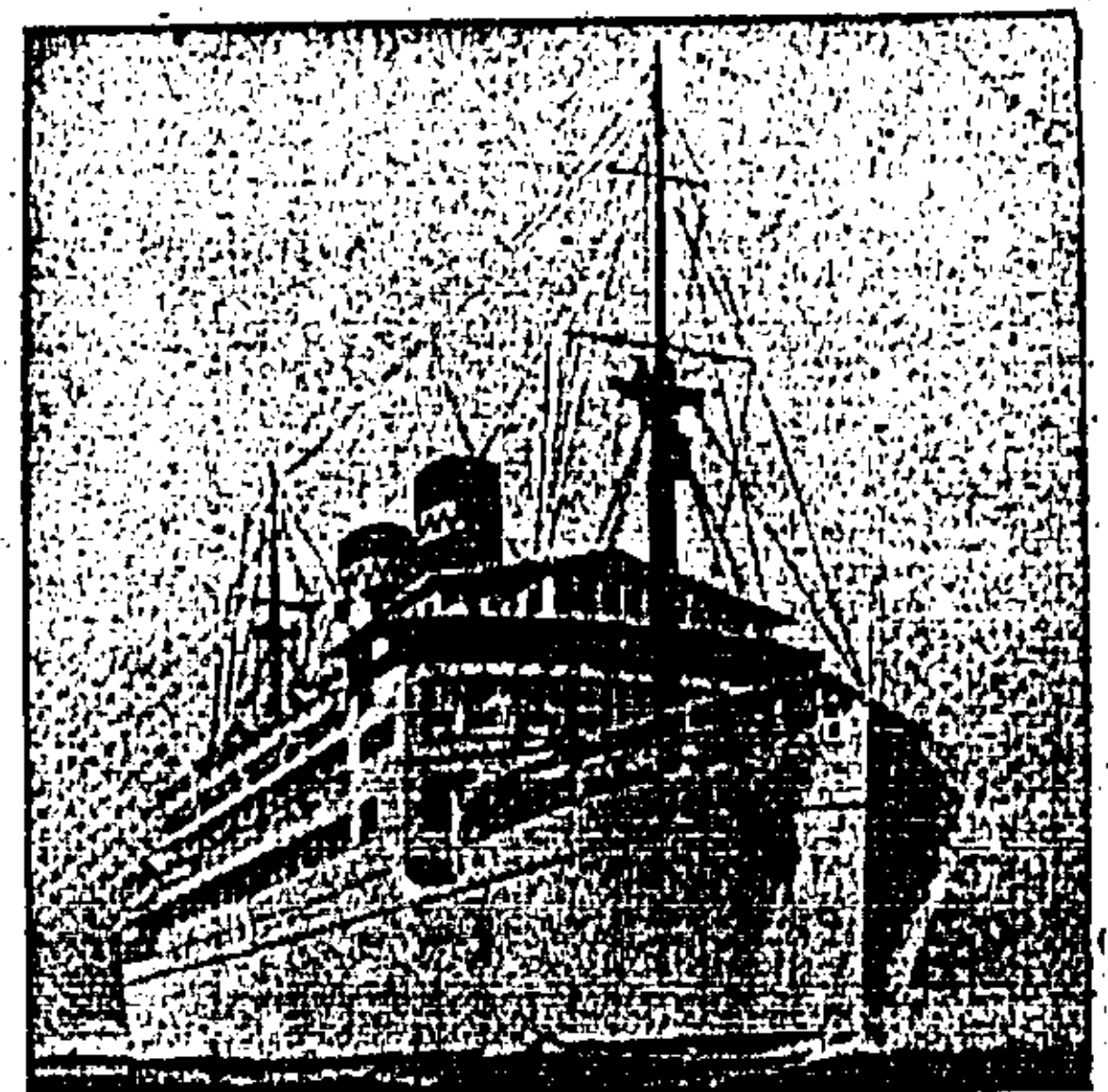
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#### "Colleen"

"Just look at that boy's dancing!" exclaimed Ruby Keeler. "Just listen to his taps! I thought I'd seen and heard all the best, but this man is certainly the top!" Miss Keeler was sitting on a sideline of one of the sets for "Colleen" the Warner Brothers musical comedy now showing at the Star Theatre. She was watching a lean, red-headed, 6-foot specimen of grace, speed and agility, who was whirling, prancing, tapping his way about a hardwood floor in rehearsal, clad in old slacks and metal-plated shoes. "You're looking at America's best male dancer!" Ruby went on with genuine enthusiasm. "His tapping is absolutely perfect. There's not the slightest slur nor 'slide' sound to a single tap. Each is as clear, distinct and staccato as an individual shot in a machine-gun burst. And besides, he has grace and per-

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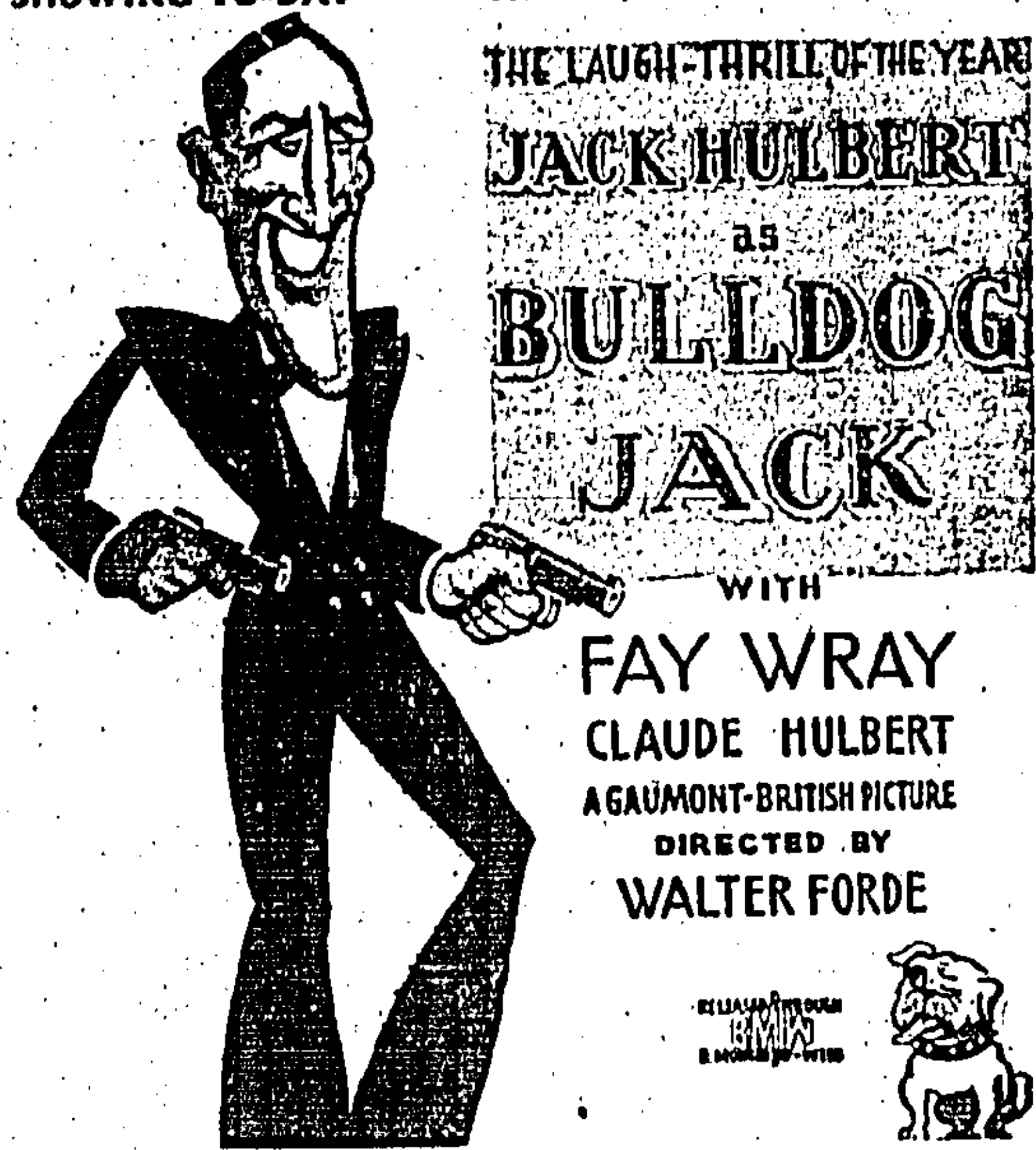
sonality. "Colleen" is a rollicking musical comedy with an all star cast including Dick Powell, Miss Keeler, Jack Oakie, Joan Blondell, Hugh Herbert, Louise Fazenda and Draper Bobby Connolly staged the production numbers while Alfred E. Green directed the picture from the screen play by Peter Milne and F. Hugh Herbert, based on a story by Robert Lord. Music and lyrics are by Harry Warren and Al Dubin.



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## Oil! The King May Strike It

Calgary (Alberta), Aug. 8.

**QUARTER** of a mile from King Edward's Alberta ranch drillers are working furiously to find a great reservoir of oil which is believed to be in the vicinity.

Oil operators are sitting in an office at Calgary, hanging on the end of the telephone, waiting for the "O.K." which may mean an oil boom for the West.

The well has already been driven over 3,000 feet into the earth.

Discovery of the Turner Valley oil pool last month, which is now producing 870 barrels of best oil daily, led geologists in the direction of the King's ranch, where a great oil lake is believed to be hidden.

Over a hundred wells have been drilled in a frantic effort to find the main lake feeding smaller pools in the Turner Valley.

THE MAIN LAKE.

All the geologists believe there is oil under the King's 3,500-acre ranch. Some believe the main lake lies under the grasslands on which cows and horses now graze.

I sat in the office of the Pekisko Well company to-day (says a Daily Express Staff Reporter), share the excitement of the men who grab the telephone eagerly every time the bell rings.

A geologist engaged by the company showed me a map of the district where the oil lake is believed to be. The boundary of the royal ranch runs through it, giving the King a half-mile strip of the lake.

"Beneath the surface of this ranch may lie ten million barrels of fine oil, or even more—and that represents money," said the geologist.

"If we strike the lake our operations will drain the King's estate unless another well is sunk. Nobody can drill on the King's ranch except the King himself, for he has ninety-nine years' lease of the mineral rights granted six years ago by the Alberta Government."

"If we are fortunate enough to strike the oil lake there will be another oil boom here reminiscent of 1914, when men stood in the streets taking the money of thousands eager to join in the expected burst of prosperity."

## One-Man Regiment Of Cavalry

PADRE BUT NO PARADES AND NO HORSE

A military unit composed entirely of one officer, with an honorary chaplain attached, which occupies nearly half a page in the prim pages of the Army List, was discussed in the House of Commons recently.

Captain Balfour (C. Isle of Thanet) inquired if the Secretary of State for War would state—  
The duties of the clergyman appearing in the Army List as honorary chaplain to the North Irish Horse, Cavalry Militia;How many Church Parades have been held during the past two years for officers and other ranks; and  
Whether the attendance has been voluntary or compulsory.

Mr. Duff Cooper, ignoring references to the chaplain, explained that all units of the Cavalry Militia had been disbanded except the North Irish Horse, which has been left in what is perhaps best described as a state of suspended animation.

"All the other ranks of this unit having completed their engagements and recruiting for it being suspended the strength at present consists of one officer only."

"This officer takes a place in the Army List as being the sole member of this force, the battle honours of which are described on one page of the Army List. While it may not fulfil any very important purpose, it certainly does not do any harm."

(Laughter.)  
[The North Irish Horse, with headquarters given as "St. Cyr," North-road Belfast, possesses battle honours from the Retreat from Mons to Cambrai, 1918.]

## Why He Stayed Away

Welsh Guardsman Reginald Poole, court-martialled at Chelsea Barracks recently, charged with desertion, said he wanted to get married. "A week after the wedding, my wife was taken ill. She is now on the danger list," he added. The court's decision will be announced later.



Governor Alfred M. Landon of Kansas is the Republican Party's best bet for the President elections in November, is shown with his wife and children.

## Dietrich, London Bound, Smuggles Daughter Aboard

New York, Aug. 10.

**MARLENE DIETRICH** the film star, accompanied by twenty trunks, twenty-nine handbags, two maids, and her eleven-year-old daughter Maria,Professor Will Fight  
By-Election To Show—

## Science Can Stop Air Raids

**PROFESSOR F. A. LINDEMANN**, Oxford scientist, is to fight a by-election at Oxford University because he believes that a scientific method can be discovered to prevent enemy air-planes from crossing enemy shores.

He said: "There is terrible talk that attack is stronger than defence. But it is a good bet that something can be found to defend our coast line by other means than mere reprisals."

"Suggestion that we have no real defence and the only thing to do is attack or reprisals, is a counsel of despair."

"Every weapon has found its counter, and I believe we can do the same from the air."

Professor Lindemann, during the war, investigated the causes of air crashes through spin. He took up his own 'plane, put it into a spin, and recovered by his own method.

The by-election for Oxford University will be held when Lord Hugh Cecil, senior M.P., resigns.

The professor is a National Conservative, but he is not supported by the Oxford University Conservative Club. He may be opposed by another Conservative and Professor Stocks (Soc.), of Manchester University.

## FATAL DISEASE

**BAULKS DOCTORS, GRIPS TWO BOYS**

Dellalre, Aug. 15.

Two boys are slowly dying here from a strange disease that physicians find impossible to treat or diagnose exactly.

The youths are John, 11, and Mike, 9, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Krinenko, of Dilles Bottom, coal-mining camp six miles west of here.

The youngsters were stricken when they were 7. Both have been growing slowly worse and now it is impossible for them to sit up in their beds in the Ohio State Hospital for crippled children.

The nearest that physicians have come to a diagnosis is that the disease causes slow deterioration of the brain cells that control the movements of the body. Joints become swollen and in the last stages the patient loses his mind.

Only three other deaths caused by this disease have been recorded in Ohio.—United Press.

## GANGSTER VENGEANCE ON GUNMAN

New York, Aug. 8.

Gangland vengeance has overtaken "Dapper Eddie" Grimaldi, gunman of a Brooklyn gang, who escaped the electric chair two years ago. He was found to-day shot dead in a Brooklyn street.

The police believe his death is an sequel to the murder of a Mrs. Plignaturo, for which Grimaldi was sentenced to death in 1934, but released on appeal.—Reuter.

sailed for her prolonged visit to France and England from New York to-day.

Her daughter was smuggled aboard the Normandie to avoid any attempts that might be made at kidnapping.

Miss Dietrich said she was "crazy" to see her husband, Rudolph Sieber, in Paris. She also said she would send her daughter to school in London.

"Why London?" she was asked. "Well," she said, "We are foreigners. I want her to learn the language."

Marlene's million dollar legs have completely recovered from accident that befell them on location in Hollywood recently, when a door was slammed on them.

## No Visible Means Of Support

**CATHEDRAL WITHOUT FOUNDATIONS**

St. Albans, Aug. 15.

The condition of St. Albans Cathedral, one of the most important specimens of Norman architecture in England, is causing some anxiety.

During the past few years it has been noticed that the interior of the church was becoming very damp, and this dampness has continued to increase. Recently the Cathedral authorities carried out an investigation and, as a result of digging by the North wall and transept, it was discovered that the great Norman Abbey had virtually no foundations at all.

"The soil is gravel, the sort of stuff you just throw a brick on and start to build," the Dean of St. Albans, the Very Reverend C. C. Thicknesse, said. "That is exactly what the original builders of the cathedral did in the early 12th Century, and so far it has stood very successfully."

"Unfortunately the increasing dampness is getting serious, and we are taking expert advice as to the methods of dealing with it. The cause at the moment is unknown, but it may be due to inadequate drainage."

"Lord Grimthorpe, when he restored the Cathedral at the end of last century, made certain alterations which resulted, I'm afraid, in the overloading of part of the ancient, although before then perfectly adequate drainage system. In addition, a large amount of water flows down Waxhouse Passage in wet weather from the town."

**"NO IMMEDIATE DANGER"**

"I should like to emphasize, however, that the Cathedral is in no immediate danger whatever, and that no signs of structural damage have appeared."

The extent to which the Cathedral is susceptible to damp was shown last month when, as a result of a heavy thunderstorm, water poured into the building through the holes made by the excavations and several paving stones were raised. Unfortunately the heating system of the Cathedral is at present old-fashioned and inadequate, and the drying of the great church is a difficult matter.

"Actually we are hesitating to apply great heat before hearing the report of the experts we have consulted," the Dean said, "since it is possible that if the Cathedral was 'dried out' too rapidly it might cause cracks in the fabric. But although we are anxious we are not worried, and whatever has to be done will be done; the Church, if properly looked after, is in no danger at all."

The diocese of St. Albans was created in 1877, and the building has the rare distinction of having served as an abbey church, parish church and cathedral.

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## REBELS ATTACK COAST CITIES

### MEN-O'-WAR OPEN FIRE

### Loyalists Allegedly Executing Prisoners TROOPS ENTRENCHED FOR SIEGE OF IRUN

Hendaye, Aug. 17.

Rebel warships, ignoring the loyalists' threats to summarily execute 2,000 prisoners, heavily shelled the forts guarding Irun, San Sebastian and Bilbao and the battleship Espana, sister ship to the Government warship, Jaime I, shelled Guadalupe fort, overlooking San Sebastian. Three other warships bombarded other points, and at nightfall the cruiser Almirante Cervera recommenced her attack on San Sebastian, firing heavily at ten minute intervals, while the Espana cruised westward.

It is noteworthy that Fort Guadalupe is filled with dynamite and a direct hit might be catastrophic, as hundreds of political prisoners and other hostages are within the walls of the fortress, including Count Romanones, former adviser to King Alfonso of Spain, it is reported.

Three hundred Spaniards, mostly women and children, have fled from the bombardment, either swimming or by row-boat, and have crossed into France.

Red leaders at Hendaye report that of 1,200 Monarchists and anti-Marxist hostages held at Guadalupe, many were executed at the inception of the shelling.

Rebel forces are converging on the beleaguered towns from land and sea. One column is at present attacking Behobia, and second is in possession of the village of Hernandis, only three miles outside San Sebastian. However, the loyalist forces have prevented the advance of a third column through the mountain passes towards San Sebastian.

The French authorities are investigating the loyalist bombing of the frontier town of Biratton, to determine whether a protest can be lodged.

The Mayor of San Sebastian admits the situation is critical and blamed the shortage of arms and foreign intervention. He denied the reports of great casualties on the loyalist side, and estimated their losses at 200 dead and 500 wounded.

## General Advance

Irun, Aug. 17.

Covered by a heavy naval barrage, the rebels have commenced a general advance on the entire north-west front, from Bilbao and Hendaye, through the Bidasoa River Valley towards the sea. Infantry units have reached Irun and have entrenched themselves to await the town's surrender.—United Press.

## Forts Talk Back

Hendaye, Aug. 17.

The rebel cruiser Espana continued to bombard San Sebastian to-day until a late hour, but a vigorous reply from Guadalupe Fort indicated that the guns of the Government stronghold were still undamaged.

It is reported that the insurgents' advance towards Irun has been accelerated.

Hendaye has witnessed all day an exodus from Fuenterrabia, from which the inhabitants are crossing the river in boats laden with all kinds of goods. Some even swam and waded across the river.—Reuter.

## Italian Landing

Tangier, Aug. 17.

A diplomatic source to-day reported that the Italian cruiser Eugenio de Savoia on Thursday last landed 100 armed men at Malaga and escorted the Italian Consul and

(Continued on Page 4.)

### MAJORCA ATTACK REPELLED

### REBELS COUNTER FIRST THRUST

London, Aug. 17.

Reports reaching London states that the landing of Government troops at Majorca yesterday proved unsuccessful, the insurgents allowing the landing and then in a fierce counter-attack, slew 500 of the loyalists and took 300 prisoners.

Of the 600 British subjects remaining in Spain, about 200 are in Madrid and 100 in Majorca. Union Jacks have been painted on the roofs of the British Embassy at Madrid as a precaution against air raids.—Reuter Bulletin Service.

## ANOTHER ATTEMPT

Gibraltar, Aug. 17.

Reports from Majorca state the casualties suffered by the Government forces, which were repulsed by the rebels in the storming of the island, were not so heavy as was at first believed.

All British nationals are reported safe and the cruiser Galatea is standing by to protect British interests.

It is reported that Spanish Government will make a fresh attempt to capture the island as soon as possible.—Reuter.

## LOYALIST CLAIM

London, Aug. 18.

Late last night the battle at Palma still continued fiercely. The Seville radio, controlled by the rebels, assessed the Government losses at Palma at 200 dead and 600 wounded, and declares the attack was repulsed. The Government at Madrid, however, announces its infantry force, under Captain Bayo, who has distinguished himself elsewhere, is steadily progressing and will soon have subdued the whole island.

The Government claims to have captured Gijon.—Reuter.

### ITALY DELAYS ACCORD

### GERMANY SUPPORTS NEUTRALITY PLAN BUT ROME IS HESITANT

Berlin, Aug. 17.

It is understood the German Government, with certain reservations, has associated itself with the British and French declarations regarding non-intervention in the civil war in Spain.

The German reply to the French plan has been handed to the French Minister at Berlin.—Reuter.

## PRISONERS FREED

Berlin, Aug. 17.

It is semi-officially announced that all Germans arrested in Spain have now been released, including the crew of the aeroplane seized by the Madrid Government. The releases were achieved after energetic diplomatic representations.—Reuter.

## ITALY'S POSITION

Rome, Aug.

Difficulties in the way of an adherence to the non-intervention pact in Spain were denoted by an official today following meeting with Count Ciano, the Foreign Minister, by French and British diplomats. It is stated that Italy desires absolute universal neutrality.

Authoritative circles, however, declare this spirit is not shown by other nations that favour a non-intervention agreement.

It is denied that Italy is procrastinating to gain time for her own ends.—Reuter.

## ITALY PLEASED

Rome, Aug. 18.

It is expected that Germany's reservations regarding the non-intervention pact, news of which was welcomed in Rome, will coincide with the Italian view that to be successful any such agreement must be complete.

Developments are expected to-day.—Reuter.

### SHANGHAI BOWLERS SELECTED

### LIST OF PLAYERS COMING HERE

Word has been received in the Colony that the following players have been selected to represent Shanghai in the Interport lawn bowls contest against Hongkong next month:

First match.—F. Medina, Charlie Richards, G. T. Ma and C. W. Glover (skip).

Second match.—C. F. Sequera, C. F. Remedios, J. E. Harvey and E. J. Hall (skip).

Third match.—W. C. Manley, H. G. Harvey, A. B. Campos and E. V. Jensen (skip).

Reserves.—J. Harvey, J. Brerley, F. O. Madar and David Ramsey.

## TYPHOON PICTURES

Pictures showing damage and destruction caused ashore and afloat by the typhoon will be found on Page 11 of this issue.

### 24,000 SEE FIGHT FOR EMPIRE TITLE

London, Aug. 17.

Jack Petersen to-night lost his British Empire heavyweight boxing crown when he was technically knocked-out in the third round by Ben Foord.

The fight took place at Leicester before 24,000 people. Foord started a heavy onslaught with two-handed attacks. He was obviously superior and in the beginning of the second round Petersen sustained an injury to his left eye.

In the third round Foord punched the British champion round the ring and sent him to the boards for counts of four and three.

Petersen was in a hopeless plight when the referee stopped the fight after eight minutes and 45 seconds. Referee gave his decision after examining Petersen's eye which was streaming with blood.—Reuter.

### ENORMOUS HONGKONG NARCOTIC TRAFFIC

### INCREASING SIZE OF SEIZURES SYNDICATE AT WORK

Illustrating figures indicative of the tremendous growth of the heroin traffic in Hongkong are forthcoming as the result of enquiries made by the Telegraph in official quarters.

Mr. E. W. Hamilton, Superintendent of Imports and Exports, states that the number of heroin pills seized during the first half of the present year by officers of his department is 764,078, as compared with 654,233 for whole of 1935.

Seizures of actual heroin have increased even more strikingly. Whereas for the whole of 1935 the total amount seized was 83½ ounces, no less than 612½ ounces were seized during the first half of 1936.

Prosecutions for possession and manufacture of heroin pills are taking place daily, but it is believed that those usually arrested are merely the agents of a big syndicate working behind the scenes. Clover, a syndicate is employed in furthering the trade, which has now reached unprecedented dimensions in the Colony.

The seizures made are believed to represent only a tithe of the drug brought into the Colony from outside, mostly from the North.

### LIBERALS OUSTED IN QUEBEC

### FORTY YEARS OF RULE ENDED NEW PARTY'S VICTORY

Montreal, Aug. 17.

A remarkable political landslide has occurred in the province of Quebec, stronghold of Liberalism in Canada for more than a century, the country of the French-Canadian.

The Liberal Government, which has been in power for forty consecutive years, has been overwhelmed in the provincial election by the new National Union Party, led by M. Maurice Duplessis.

This party consists of Conservatives, rural Liberals and others. Premier Godbout, who succeeded M. Louis Taschereau, Premier from 1920 to 1936, has had only a few months in office. He, with several ministers of his Cabinet, was defeated.

Latest returns are, National Union Party, 74, Liberals, 14. Only two seats remain to be decided.—Reuter.

### Louis Likely Favourite MEETS SHARKEY IN RING BATTLE

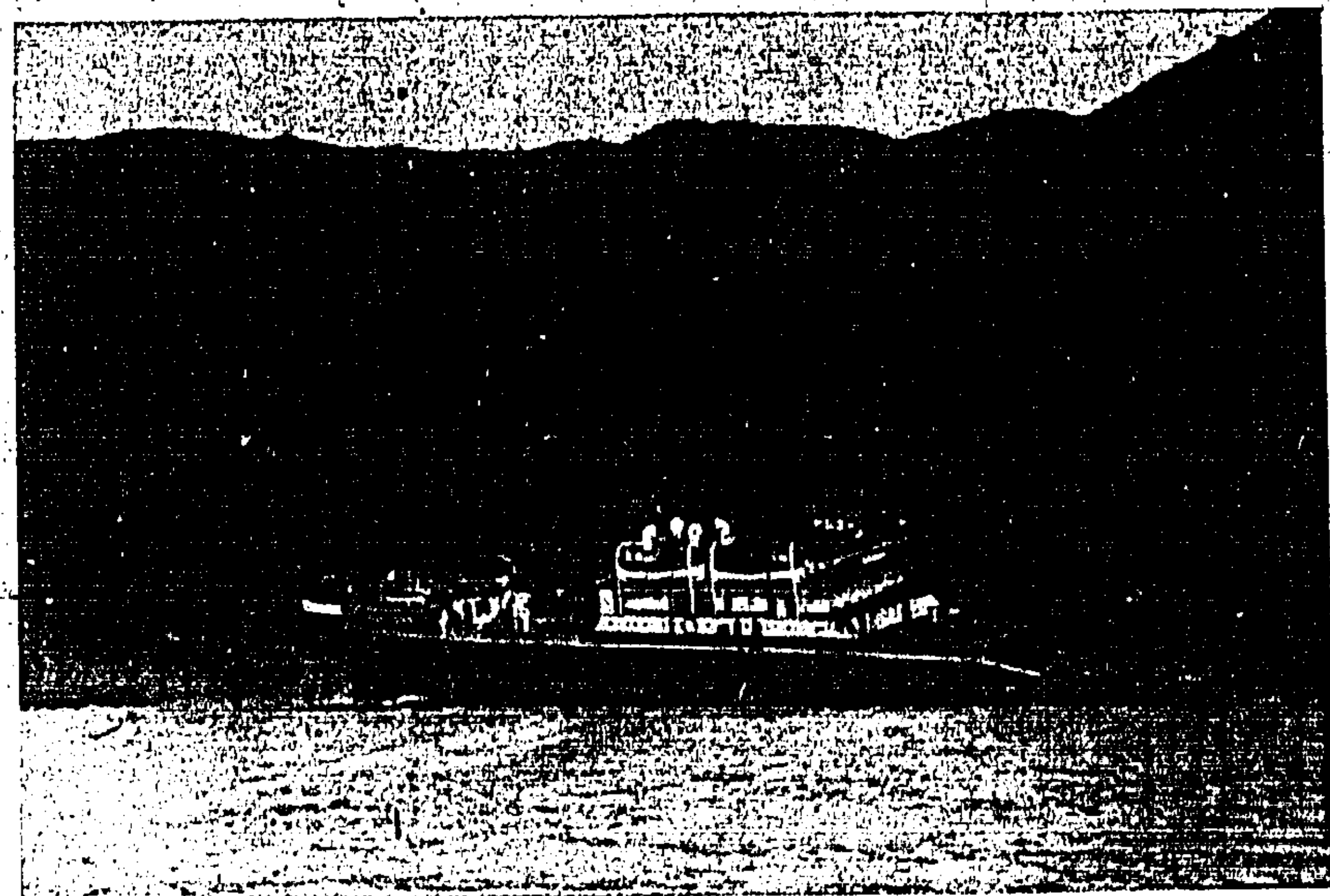
New York, Aug. 17.

It is predicted that Joe Louis, Detroit negro whom Max Schmeling whipped more than a month ago, will enter the ring against Jack Sharkey, a three-to-one favourite.

Mike Jacobs, promoter and fight manager, forecasts an attendance of 60,000 and a gate of \$220,000.

Louis expects to weigh in at 210 pounds and Sharkey, the older man, at 197.—United Press.

### "SUNNING" A TOTAL WRECK



Picture shows the China Navigation Company's steamer Sunning lying a total wreck in Junk Bay, after she was driven ashore in the typhoon. The fore part of the ship lies some two hundred yards further away, turned completely over. (Photo by Staff Photographer).

### SUNNING WRECK GUARDED BY ONE BRITISH OFFICER STORY OF PASSENGERS' AMAZING ESCAPE

"Telegraph" Staff Reporter

I have just returned from Junk Bay. In and around Hongkong and other parts of the world I have seen many maritime disasters, many wrecks, but none that provided so fantastic a sight as the Sunning.

It is hard to imagine, without seeing, that this once fine vessel of the China Navigation Company's fleet is a mass of grotesquely twisted steel and iron.

Where once stood the foremast is a gaping wound. Two hundred yards away from the after part of the ship is the foredeck, twisted into an unimaginable tangle of iron. At the height of the typhoon it was torn away by mountainous seas as easily as were the limbs of Nathan Road's trees.

An enormous wave lifted the hundreds of tons of metal like a clutching hand and, in three giant somersault movements, carried it to where it lies still, strangely enough, topside up, with the mooring rope still neatly coiled in position.

### RADIO CONTEST RESULT

### KOWLOON RESIDENT WINS PHILCO SET

The "Telegraph" has pleasure to-day in announcing the result of the Popular Radio Programme competition, for which a handsome Philco Console medium-wave set was generously donated as the prize.

No competitors sent in a coupon containing the whole ten items correctly marked in the order of the popular vote; the highest number so marked being five. This figure was reached by

Mr. Charles Sylvan,

310 Nathan Road, Kowloon, who therefore wins the splendid prize offered.

Full details of the voting, together with three questions which were optional to entrants, will be found on Page Seven of this issue.

Numerous suggestions were forwarded by competitors for the improvement of ZBW programmes, and these will be classified and the most constructive proposals published in due course.

Aboard what remains of the Sunning are scenes of the utmost confusion. I ventured down into the water-filled engine-room and saw for myself the terrific havoc that had been wrought there, and marvelled at the escape of the engine-room crew, who reached the deck five seconds before the main steam pipe burst and completed the wreck below.

When I went below, I discovered much more evidence of the mortal blow the Sunning had received. The engines and boilers are resting on a huge rock. They are quite apart from the hull of the ship, and as the Sunning moves gently with the swirl of post-typhoon waves, the funnel seems to bob up and down. In reality it is the hull of the ship. The funnel, boilers and engine are a separate entity.

On the deck, in the dining saloon and in other passengers' quarters, everything is confusion. Lifebelts are indescribably mixed with food-stuffs and the hastily abandoned personal effects of the passengers.

I saw mute testimony to the terror that had gripped the passengers in the abandoned clothing of a Chinese baby, the leather bound books, still lying on a deck chair, of a well-to-do Chinese passenger, the tan shoes of a European.

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### SOLDIERS ON GRAVE CHARGES ALLEGED ASSAULT AND ROBBERY TAXI DRIVER'S STORY

Riflemen Thomas Todd, Sydney Brown and Thomas Barker of the Royal Ulster Rifles, smilingly faced their trial at Criminal Sessions this morning and pleaded not guilty to a charge of assaulting and robbing a taxi driver.

The charge against them is that early on the morning of July 6 they assaulted Louie Yiu and took away from him \$11 in notes, a metal watch, an electric torch and a whistle.

Sir Atholl MacGregor, Chief Justice, heard the case and the following jury was empanelled: Messrs. S. M. Gidley (Foreman), Chung, Henry U-kong, S. H. Tenny, E. Haussmann, T. L. Knight, E. J. de Pinheiro, F. X. N. Mendes. The name of J. C. Gutierrez was called but not answered.

Mr. E. H. Williams, Assistant Crown Solicitor, appeared for the prosecution assisted by Det-Sgt. C. H. Goodwin, Lieut. Fitz, G. Donlan, R.U.R., was also in court.

In his opening statement Mr. Williams detailed in substance the outline presented at the Kowloon Magistrate's court from which the prisoners were committed. He stated that about 10 p.m. on July 6 the men were talking over their verandah at Victoria Barracks and there was evidence to show they did not go to bed.

About 125 a.m. three Europeans hailed a taxi near the Star Ferry and he took them to a hotel in Nathan Road where they spoke to a foki but did not stay, and eventually dropped them at Mongkok Ferry wharf where the fare was paid. The men were in civilian dress, one was taller than the others and one carried a suit case. A few minutes after 2 a.m., Louie Yiu, the victim in the case, was passing the Mongkok Ferry Station in his taxi when he was halted by three Europeans, yawning the same description. He also noticed they were wearing ties, and were perfectly sober.

## DROVE TOWARDS PRISON

Leung asked their destination and one of the men said "Stonecutters." The driver protested this was impossible but one of the men who was sitting beside him waved him on. Thinking they wanted to get to Laiheklok in order to hire a sampan for Stonecutters, he drove on. On arriving at the junction of Laiheklok Road and Nathan Road, he asked which direction and the man beside him pointed along Nathan Road. He continued, and when he came to the Women's Prison he repeated his question and the same man pointed towards the Men's Prison. Leung drove along and, after coming to a place between the fifth and sixth milestones, the tall man said something to him which he could not hear, and he stopped the car. It was now about 220 a.m.

The tall man said "What place is this?" Leung replied, "Castle Peak Road." The man then said he wanted to get to Fanling. The driver could not understand where they wanted to go and said, "First you wanted Stonecutters; now you say Fanling. Where do you want to go?" The tall man then asked the amount of the fare. The driver flashed his

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# Zoe Farmar shows you the lazy way to a

## LOVELY FIGURE

**T**HIS is for those who want to slim or improve their figures without taking exercise. One way or another there seems to be an effortless way of doing everything.

To correct your figure faults all you have to do is to go to almost any store and ask for the corseting department. You can go in looking like the fat lady and come out if not a Joan Crawford, at least a really good figure of a woman.

But first let us get straight what is wrong. Do not judge your figure by weight alone. Proportions matter. If you are heavy-boned you may look too thin beside a woman a stone lighter than yourself. In fact, it seems to work out that the tiny-boned collect fat more readily than those big boned frames.

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Trying to become a physical type which you are not is as silly as a bus body on a motor-cycle.

Let us take some of the figures we run to and see what we can make of them. We'll begin small.

Just this week I found the perfect underall for almost any one who is below 40 inches round chest and hips. It had been tested out. Some one wore it for eight hours at a stretch and it did not—just would not—pull out of shape. The shoulder straps were adjustable—not to one position only, but to four. The most remarkable: halter fashion for a completely backless dress.

All manoeuvred by buttons (flat and unfeeling) that fixed on to the girdle (although you don't necessarily have to buy a new girdle, as the loops go separately, for attaching on to whatever you have).

Still, the girdle was good, too. Triple threads of elastic stuff woven so that it holds you by the hips—relentless but kind.

You know how those girdles sometimes roll over at the top when you sit down. This one didn't, because there were two tiny bones (they come out before the laundry gets a chance) that held it up in position. Helps you to sit up straight, too.

"Do not judge your figure by weight alone. Proportions matter."

Another bit of information: I bumped up against was that you can get a bathing suit with a really good bust bodice inset at the top. You can't see it, but the difference it makes.

They are also making beach tops—little silk handkerchiefs cleverly fangled to hold you just where they should. I think you are almost bound to buy one of these for the summer.

But to get on to bigger figures. They are the ones that should truly benefit by this colossal industry. My investigations convinced me that there is not a woman who, by studying her figure and dressing carefully (not only underneath, of course), cannot look well made.

There is one illusion she must overcome—the idea that by flattening the body she is making herself look slimmer. By doing this she simply makes her body shapeless, vaguely shaped.

The figure which is large around the chest and hips can only be controlled if the bust is held up in its natural position. If bound down it spoils the waist-line and encourages a roll of fat, gives a thickened silhouette.

Some of the "foundation" garments I saw for bigger women are truly exercises in themselves. They hold the figure to its rightful shape, and in doing so not only improve the look of you, they give your inside a better chance of health.

Great achievement of these things is that they are not boned. Light and washable, they are designed to put you into shape and they do. Some of them look quite slip and gay in flowered voiles. I prefer the plain baby-coloured ones in faille and elasticity.

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In this department the meaning of mass production has changed. It now defers to individual idiosyncrasies in a big way. Of the garments I've been talking about alone there are something like five hundred different combinations of measurements.

The way they discover what is good for you is fascinating. To me incomprehensible (but then it is mathematical, and I am still unable to do long division).

You give your hip, bust, and waist measurements, and the sales girl dials them on a cardboard chart and gets through to the number that will fit you. It never fails.

You may be top-heavy or four inches larger round the hips; they will straighten you up.

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That is the beginning. . . If you want to do well by yourself you must plan with equal care your general style of dressing. There is not room here to go into that, but remember always that ornamentation calls attention to, does not detract from, an over-full outline.

Over-dressing is responsible for more spoiled figures than over-eating.

### Russet, the lipstick for tanned skins

THE skin which has acquired a really lovely tan needs a very special make-up, and, as a general rule, the make-up must contain something of an orange shade in rouge and lipstick, with one of the sun-dan powders to complete it.

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The latest addition to the list of sun-tan cosmetics is a russet lipstick which harmonises beautifully with the brown, healthy skin, and yet does not look out of place even on the tennis court. It is packed in a black case with gold and russet bands, and costs only half a crown.

### Housewife's Scrapbook

A READER recommends this lotion for hands discoloured by stains.

One teaspoonful of white vinegar, added to two of lemon juice. Ten drops of camphor must be added, and the preparation put into a bottle.

Very little is necessary. Dab on with a small piece of cotton wool and leave on to dry. After it has dried apply plenty of olive oil, which can be wiped off after a few minutes. Then the hands should be washed.

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NEW kid gloves will not split, when first put on, if they are placed between the sole of a damp towel for an hour or two. The dampness softens the kid and allows it to stretch more readily.

### DINNER MENU

Chaudfroid of Lemon Sole.  
Cold Beef Olives.  
Broad Beans Meuniere.  
Potato & Cucumber Salad with  
Sour Cream Dressing.  
Crimson Rice.

THE cold steamed fillets are coated with white sauce stiffened with gelatine and well flavoured. Garnish with pieces of tomato and a few capers.

For the olives cut pieces of lean, underdone roast beef, spread thinly with horseradish sauce, put a piece of pickle or gherkin in each and roll up. The broad beans should be cooked and peeled, and served cold with French dressing and chopped parsley. The salad is made by mixing sliced cold potatoes with half the quantity of sliced cucumber.

Make the dressing with two hard-boiled egg yolks mashed with salt and a pinch of sugar, add a tablespoon of white vinegar and then a gill of sour cream.

Stew 1½ lb. red currants in water until tender, rub through a sieve, add 6oz. castor sugar and allow a tablespoon of ground rice for each pint. Mix the rice with a little of the juice, heat the rest, and when boiling stir into the rice and boil until quite thick. Turn into a mould and serve with custard or cream. It is best made the day before.

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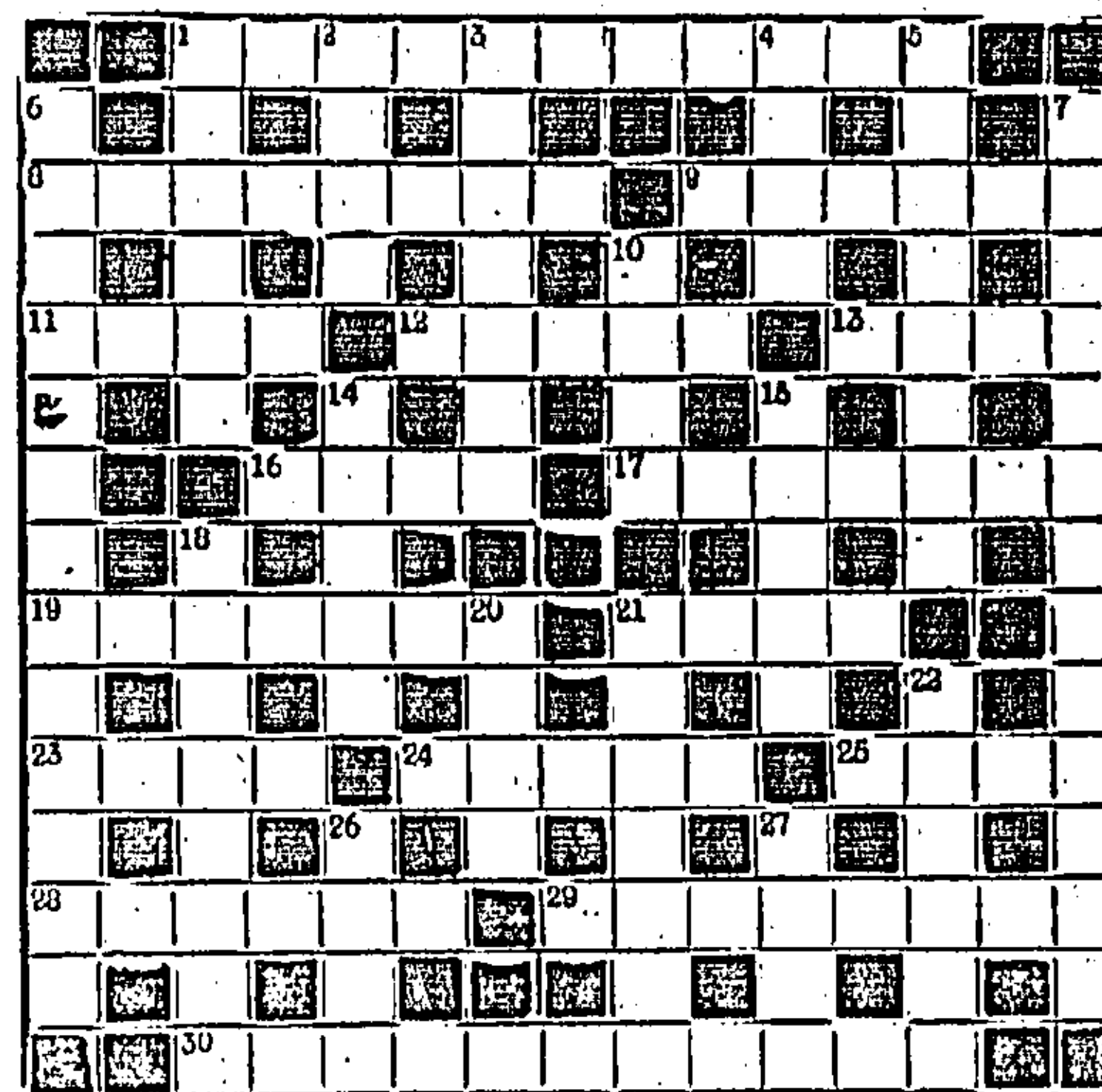
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#### ACROSS

- 1 Drake, and this race, made the Spanish fly.
- 8 Ex cathedra.
- 9 The genial old poet who has a call for the nation.
- 11 He takes a piece of elastic at the back of the foot.
- 12 Drill that is popular in the tropics.
- 13 Cinderella's other name.
- 16 Stop used by sailors.
- 17 Mediterranean port.
- 19 Means to take care in this.
- 21 When this is owing, it means trouble in waves.
- 23 The river with the first-class reference.
- 24 Even a double one won't make one right.
- 25 Look for this on the map of Peru.
- 26 Eleven cele far from home, and very upset.
- 29 Do without: as the chemist does.
- 30 She is the second at birth; first and second after her first ceremony.

#### DOWN

- 1 A good number offer accommodation for valuables.
- 2 Notch.
- 3 Exercising a certain sense.
- 4 Returned empty.
- 5 The horse that shares a stall with a lion.
- 6 Ship's cat to die (anag.).
- 7 In being restored to former

- 10 Mrs. Spratt only, I fancy, would eat this pudding.
- 14 Trees appealing to the almanac.
- 15 Seize this, or it may shoot.
- 18 Where they disturb the heather in Scotland.
- 20 This ace is never in the middle of the pack.
- 21 The bird for rejoicings.
- 22 Foreign gentleman who seems to demand your name on the dotted line, with a threat.
- 26 Unless he had private means, the counsel who wasn't wouldn't be able to.
- 27 Place.

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## Italy Is Taking No Risks

MILLION SOLDIERS UNDER ARMS

Rome, Aug. 10.

THERE is only about one chance in ten of an European war within the next two years, according to responsible Italian officials.

Italy, however, is proceeding with its military preparations as though the odds were reversed and war might be expected to-morrow.

Italy to-day still has almost one million soldiers under arms in Italy and Ethiopia and is turning out air planes, bombs, munitions and big guns at virtually a war-time pace.

If there is an European war (and Mussolini sincerely hopes there won't be because he has his hands full with Ethiopia), Italy expects to be, as in 1915, on the winning side.

Will Italy fight with or against Germany in the next war? Nobody knows, not even Mussolini, because European politics are in such a state of flux it is impossible to say who will fight whom.

Italy is preparing for enemies in every direction. The Brenner pass looking toward Austria and Germany is heavily fortified. The Italo-Jugoslav frontier bristles with "pill boxes," trenches and emplacements.

Roads leading through the passes into France and Switzerland are covered by imposing camps of Italy's picked Alpine troops.

### PORTS STRENGTHENED

Every Italian port, since the menace of war between England and Italy, has been strengthened with anti-aircraft artillery, mine layers and a flotilla of submarines.

In the past year a dozen new military airports have been established in Italy, especially in the southern two, Sicily and Sardinia, and airfields throughout the peninsula have been improved and enlarged.

Before the end of the year Italy plans to have 1,500 new airplanes, mostly high-speed bombers, in service giving her almost 3,000 first-line machines. Fifteen hundred new student pilots were recently enrolled and are now being trained.

### SOCIALISM

Key industries have been "nationalized" and are working for the government. The army is proceeding with a vast programme of mechanization.

Mobility of attack and rapidity of mobilization are the two guiding principles which motivate Italy's preparation for the next war.

As a result of his experiences in the Ethiopian war, Mussolini believes he can throw the entire Italian nation into a war overnight. The two "test mobilizations" of the Italian population during the African war were primarily designed to perfect the organization for immediate mobilization in case of an emergency.

Mussolini feels, according to persons close to him, that Italy's ability to enter any war at a moment's notice is his greatest diplomatic strength. He believes this constant preparedness may be a powerful factor in imposing peace on Europe, because neither France nor Germany would like to have one of their fronts exposed to Italy's modern legions. Respect for Italian military prowess, under Fascist reforms, is increasing in Europe, Italians believe and this may be an important factor in preserving peace.

### WAR DANGER ENDED

Mussolini's many speeches during and after the East African war all revealed a great preoccupation for the peace of Europe. Menaced by Britain and France in their attempts to halt his colonial adventure, Mussolini felt then that peace hung on a slender thread.

To-day, now the Ethiopian affair is being liquidated, Mussolini feels the dangers of an immediate war in Europe are vanishing. But he doesn't intend to relax his preparations until there has been general settlement of the problems which are disturbing Europe.

The Italian's feel they rendered a service to peace by sponsoring the signature of the Vienna pact ending the bitter quarrel between Germany and Austria.

At least, reason most Italians, Europe will not go to war over the question of Austria. This pact, they believe, removed one of the thorns in the side of Italo-German relations and should decrease the anxieties of France and Czechoslovakia regarding the future Austria.

There are three questions in the opinion of Italians which still might bring war in Europe within two years. These are:

1. England's special Mediterranean accord with Jugoslavia, Turkey and Greece which Italians feel are directed against Italy;
2. The Locarno question: If France, Britain and Belgium try to draft a new Locarno treaty without and against Germany, Italians believe war will be inevitable in Europe;
3. Danzig: Italians are inclined to believe Poland will not raise a finger if Germany marches into Danzig after the Olympic games, making it difficult for France and

REBELS IN CHARGE



CADIZ, which is reported to have been bombarded by the Government cruiser, Cervantes.

## Delegates of "Lunatic Fringe" Threaten To Lynch Hecklers

New York, August 12.

"THIS 'lunatic fringe' is going to take over the American Government!" roared American's "Rabble-rouser No. 1," the Rev. Gerald Smith, electrifying 11,000 delegates, meeting in Cleveland as the National Convention of the Townsend movement.

The Townsend recovery plan—to which Father Coughlin, the powerful "radio priest," pledged his support to-day—threatens to split the Democratic vote in the November election and may thus lead to the defeat of President Roosevelt.

### Professor Probes

### Cosmic Ray Secrets

## LONE VIGIL IN 'GHOST' TUBE STATION

ON the darkened platform of a disused London tube station, a professor is at work in a makeshift laboratory, probing secrets of cosmic rays.

Professor R. M. Blackett, of the Birkbeck College, London, has what is surely one of the strangest laboratories in the world—a disused cabin 120ft. below the wheels of the city's roaring traffic.

Here the Professor, who is Britain's leading authority on cosmic rays, is studying the penetration power of these strange rays.

Surrounded by shining coils, batteries and wires, he works with a great electro-magnet, studying the power of the rays. And as he works trains thunder through the deserted station, but he never stops.

The windows light up as these "ghost" trains flash past, but the professor works on.

### TRACKS PHOTOGRAPHED

"Cosmic rays are always bombarding the earth," he said. "Where they come from is still a mystery."

Professor Blackett has succeeded in photographing the tracks the rays make when passing through a machine.

Soon he hopes to fly into the stratosphere and study the rays there.

"We know," he continued, "that the higher one goes the more intense these rays become. We now contemplate flights to an altitude of ten miles."

Cosmic rays with an energy reaching 20,000 million volts have already been studied. Professor Blackett suspects that there are rays with an energy of nearly a billion volts.

Britain to decide whether they consider such action a reason for war or not. Italy thinks not.

Although Italians are confident war is not an imminent possibility in Europe, they believe the odds against war cannot be reduced or eliminated entirely until the diplomatic negotiations under way are concluded.

Whatever happens, say Italians, "we are prepared materially to fight but spiritually we think it would be suicide for Europe. Nothing will come of the war but anarchy and communism in Europe."—United Press.

Spokesman of the "Share Our Wealth" clubs organized by Senator Huey ("Kingfish") Long, the assassinated Dictator of Louisiana, the Rev. Gerald Smith began his speech by announcing that he had just heard of a plot against him.

### "HANG THE HECKLERS"

"Eight hundred men," he declared, "were going to enter this hall to prevent me from making a red-blooded fighting speech."

"How many of you will promise to hang anybody who interrupts me?"

Eleven thousand hands shot up in answer.

Mr. Smith then launched into his tirade against the Roosevelt New Deal.

With a Bible in one hand he played upon his vast audience with all the arts of the super-evangelist, raising the delegates to the highest pitch of political frenzy.

### "BRAIN TRUST BREAD"

"I refuse to drink this Tammany milk or eat this brain trust bread baked in Moscow," he howled.

"Eighty-out of every 100 farms are under mortgage to the Government. That means Government ownership of land. That's Communism!"

This spectacular Convention is actually that of a triple alliance which will fight the Presidential election as a Third Party opposed to both Democrats and Republicans.

The alliance combines the Townsend Planners, pledged to restore prosperity by 240-a-month old age pensions, the Huey Long faction, and Father Coughlin's National Union for Social Justice.

Together these three "lunatic fringe" movements will back the Union Party candidate, Representative William Lemke, of North Dakota.

### LORD AUSTIN

The College of Heraldry has conferred the title chosen by Sir Herbert Austin on the conferment of a barony in the King's Birthday honours list.

He will be known as Lord Austin of Longbridge.

### Producer-Preacher Tells Of

### Boyhood Romance

MR. RALPH READER, musical comedy producer, stood in the

Wesleyan church pulpit recently at Crewkerne, Somerset,

where he spent his boyhood.

"As a boy I sat in a pew in this church and fell in love with a

girl in the choir who was always dressed in pink. I never thought

of what the minister said in his sermon; my thoughts were with

this girl, and when not with her I was thinking of how I should

play my football."

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A MAN and woman have sailed from London bound for Paradise on Earth.

It took Captain John Fleming Vibart, C.B.E., late of the Royal Indian Navy, and his wife seven years to find Paradise—in South-east Rhodesia.

They travelled the entire civilized world. Their trunks and suitcases are plastered with labels of the world's rail, ship and air services.

Papeete, Lotus Land of the South Seas. . . New York, modern wonder city. . . Peaceful, magic Isle of Madagascar. . . China, Japan, India.

They searched them all, but train, ship or plane carried them on to other lands—dissatisfied. Back in London they tried to settle, but the desire for the perfect home gave them no rest. They bought a secondhand car and drove away.

### LONG SEARCH

Months later they landed at Cape Town with it, and turned north into the vast hinterland of the land of the Bantu. Several sets of tyres were worn out on macadam roads and velvet and jungle tracks.

Through Bechuanaland, ruled by Chief Tsekeledi Nanaqaland, where diamonds are as plentiful as pebbles on a beach; along the Witwatersrand, most prosperous spot on earth; ever north, beyond Lake Nyasa. . .

Still searching they headed south again and entered Southern Rhodesia. They came to the Umvumvum River and for several miles bowed along beside rushing streams almost hidden by tropical vegetation. Birds coloured like rainbows flitted from tree to tree. Troops of baboons scrambled to safety into the 2,000 ft. hills on either side. Startled buck watched the passage of the searchers. This is how Capt. Vibart describes the first glimpse of their perfect home, Umvoti.

"Then we came to Christmas Pass. We stopped to fill our radiator. We looked down into the valley. It was the place of our dreams."

### NO CROWDS

They bought two and a half acres of land, ordered a house to be built, sold their car for £30 less than they paid for it, and returned to England to say good-bye for ever.

For other paradise seekers here are some facts about Umvoti:

European population, 2,000. Rates, 3d. in the £ for property and 1d. for buildings, with 15 per cent. rebate for prompt payment. It has a £4,000 swimming bath—there's fishing, shooting, golf, tennis—and income tax is 6d. in the £ over £800 a year.

Captain Vibart says dreamily: "Climate's as near perfection as possible. There's no snobishness, and everywhere is the open door. Living's cheap, and when I say living I don't mean existing! People who like the smell of a crowd had better stop away."

That was the farewell of the man and woman who had found their Paradise.

### Girl of 17 Marries

### Man of 100

In spite of the opposition of her parents, a girl of 17 has married a man of 100, reports the Exchange from Belgrade, Yugo-Slavia.

The bride is the pretty daughter of a farmer, and the couple have been engaged for a year.

During that time the girl repeatedly expressed her determination to marry her aged fiancé.

### NATIONAL DAY IN FRANCE



Our picture shows a little Marianne from Northern France who participated in the great shows celebrated recently throughout the country.

## "BATTALION ON ITS HONOUR"

VIEWS OF OFFICERS AND CLERGY

### "NO COMPULSION"

Keen interest has been aroused in the case of the Commanding Officer of a Regiment at Home, who as stated in the "Telegraph" recently, dispensed with the custom of a full dress parade of his battalion a long time before the hour for church on Sundays, and who "put them on their honour" to come on parade properly dressed just in time for church.

Many opinions have been expressed by military officers and leaders of the Church. Among them are the following:

Bishop Welldon.—A soldier should not be compelled to attend Divine Service if he conscientiously objects. If there is a Church parade it should be as brief as possible.

General Sir Ian Hamilton.—If the idea underlying a Church Parade is that the men should go to Heaven, then, in so far as it is futile and is more likely to result in a manel across the infernal regions. If the parade is held for any other reason, such as smartness and discipline, that is for the military authorities.

### COMPULSORY RELIGION

Dean of St. Paul's (Dr. W. R. Matthews) quoted the story of the Church dignitary who was asked if there were any distinction between compulsory religion and no religion. "The distinction," replied the dignitary, "is too subtle for me to perceive."

The Bishop of Hereford (Dr. C. L. Carr)—The idea of putting a battalion on its honour is excellent. When I was vicar of Yarnmouth during the War I took a Church Parade Service every Sunday, and found that most of the men resented the lengthy ceremonial beforehand.

The Bishop of Truro (Dr. Hunkin)—I heartily agree with anything that would make the service more helpful for the men. The cutting down of tiring ceremonial before church would be very beneficial.

The Dean of Bristol (Very Rev. H. W. Blackburne, Chaplain to the Forces during the War).—The idea of putting men on their honour to appear properly dressed at church parade is splendid. I have sometimes thought the preliminary parade has been a cause of dissatisfaction. At the same time there is great value in the compulsory church parade, as there are probably numbers of men who would not go to church otherwise.

## Refugees' Hopes Dashed

Twenty thousand Assyrians are homeless again as a result of the League Council's decision to abandon its plan to settle the refugees in French Syria.

Mr. Eden, Foreign Secretary, told the Commons that the French Government had informed the League Committee concerned that owing to political developments in Syria it would, in its view, be unwise to proceed with the project.

The Council had instructed its committee to continue its efforts to find a permanent solution of the Assyrian problem.

The Assyrian refugees are survivors of the massacres that took place in Iraq in 1933.

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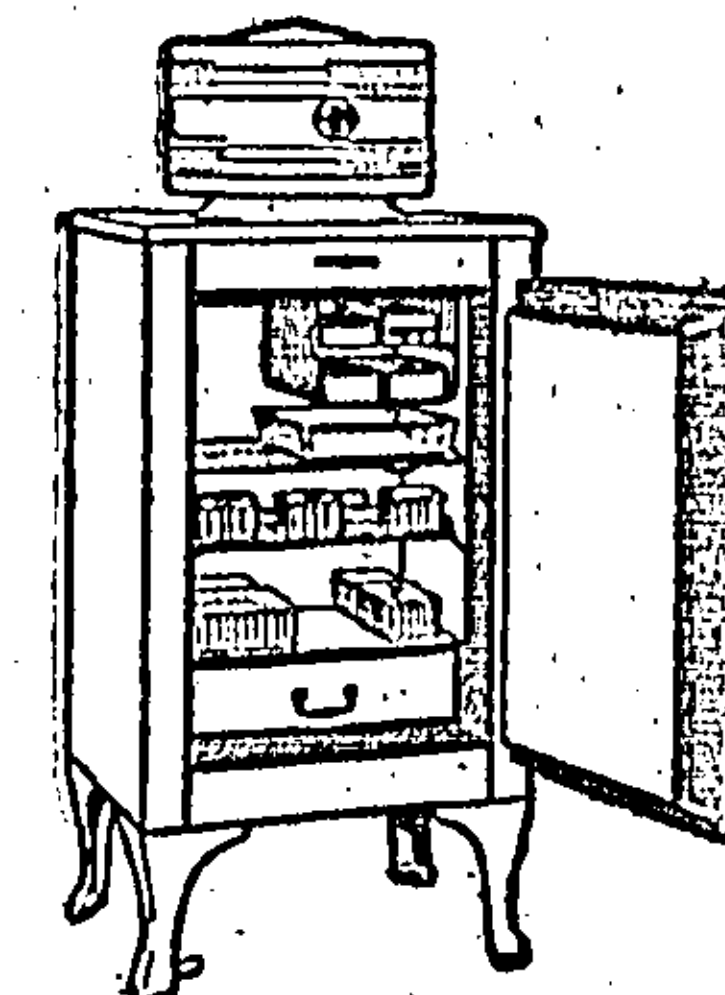
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The following is the list of local share quotations issued this morning.

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\$314 n.	
Mercantile Bank, C., \$144 n.	
East Asia Bank, \$74 n.	
Insurance	
Canton Ins., \$27½ b.	
Union Ins., \$647½ b.	
China Underwriters, \$1.00 n.	
China Fire, \$462 n.	
H. K. Fire, \$235 b.	
Internat'l Assce., Sh. \$34 n.	
Shipping	
Douglas, \$20 n.	
H. K. Steamboats, \$4 n.	
Indo-China (Pref.), \$30 n.	
Indo-China (Def.), \$20 n.	
Shell (Reaper), 104/1½ n.	
Union Waterboats, \$12 n.	
Docks etc.	
H. K. Wharves (old), \$94 b.	
H. K. & W. Docks, \$14 n.	
Providents (old), \$145 b.	
Providents (new), 20 cts. n.	
Hongkew (old), Sh. \$180 n.	
New Engineering, Sh. \$4 n.	
Shanghai Dock, Sh. \$85 n.	
Mining	
Kailan, 10/3 n.	
Lanckins (Single), \$5 n.	
Shai Explorations, Sh. \$3 n.	
Shai Loans, Sh. \$3 n.	
Railway, \$11.85 n.	
Venz: Goldfield \$4½ b.	
Antamoks, \$5.30 b.	
Atoks, \$1.05 s.	
Bangulo Gold 56 cts. n.	
Balates, \$24 n.	
Benguet Consolidated, \$24½ b.	
Benguet Exp., 42 cts. b.	
Big Wedges, 70 cts. n.	
Consolidated Mines 11½ cts. s.	
Demonstrat' n. \$1.75 s. and sa.	
Ipo Gold, 16½ cts. sa.	
Rogons, \$3 n.	
I. X. L., \$2.90 b.	
Masbate, \$1.07 n.	
Northern Mining, 53/55 cts. sa.	
Paracale Gumaua, \$1.20 b.	
Salacot, 22 cts. s.	
San Maurice, \$3.10 b.	
Suyo Consols, 75 cts. b.	
United Paracale, \$2.45/2.55 sa.	
Gold Creek, 55 cts. n.	
Gold River, 19½ cts. sa.	
Santa Rosa, 15 cts. s.	
Santa Rosa, Hotels, etc.	
H. & S. Hotels, \$4.95 b.	
H. K. Lands, \$33 b.	
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Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$10 n.	
Humphries, \$9 n.	
H. K. Realities, \$4.50 n.	
Chinese Estates, \$80 n.	
China Realities, Sh. \$4 n.	
China Debentures, Sh. \$60 n.	
Public Utilities	
H. K. Tramways, \$11.60 b.	
Peak Trams, (old), \$6½ n.	
Peak Trams, (new), \$23½ n.	
Star Ferries, \$90 n.	
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Wing On (H.K.), \$50 n.

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Zong Singa, \$18 n.

Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$25 n.

## Miscellaneous

H.K. Entertainment, \$2.90 n.

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### REBELS ATTACK COAST CITIES.

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the son of General Dellano, disguised as a sailor, back to the warship. The cruiser landed "the refugees" at Tungkong.

This action is said to have followed the loyalists' threats against the Consul whom they accused of assisting General Dellano to escape to Tungkong.

**Armies In Contact**  
Burgos, Aug. 17.

A detachment of swarthy Moroccans paraded Burgos to-day, indicating that the northern and southern armies have made complete contact.

Generals Mola, Franco and Cabanellas held week-end conferences and reportedly discussed the advisability of using a new and powerful instrument of war, hitherto not brought into action.

"I am more confident than ever of rapid and complete victory," General Mola exclaimed. "I cannot say the precise date. However, the inactivity of the enemy continues and the advance of our troops indicates that victory. The Hudson between General Franco's army and my own is now complete."—United Press.

**Cartegena Taken?**  
Lisbon, Aug. 17.

An intercepted radio message says the rebels have taken Cartegena.—United Press.

**Weds Before Execution**  
Madrid, Aug. 17.

Just before he faced a firing squad at dawn to-day, General Fanjul, the monarchist, married the woman he loved, Senorita Luisa Aguada.

Newspapers are ominously and sarcastically chronicling the alleged discovery by the militia of a safety deposit box belonging to a convent, containing 100,000,000 pesetas, partly in cash and partly in bonds, and also a large quantity of gold coins.

The box was rented in the name of the Little Sisters of the Poor, and the treasure has now been confiscated.—Reuter.

**Evacuation Arranged**  
London, Aug. 17.

Evacuation of foreign nationals from Granada by aeroplane, under arrangements made with the two sides in the civil war in Spain, has continued. Three of eleven British subjects have been brought out of the city, which is held by insurgents and invested by the Government troops, but the other eight have decided to stay on at their own risk.—British Wireless.

### SUNNING WRECK GUARDED BY ONE BRITISH OFFICER

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rock that towers hundreds of feet above the ship. That all the passengers and crew were landed without mishap is a remarkable drama in itself. I followed the trail of the rescued; went from ship to shore just as they did, down a swaying Jacob's ladder into the solitary fireboat that carried 140 people to safety and then, by a succession of leaps from rock to rock, to the mountain's side.

**MOUNTAINOUS TRIAL**  
I tried to follow the trail to the top of the mountain, but lost it and was forced to give up the attempt. How all those people reached sanctuary will always remain a mystery to me.

Some of the passengers saved their most treasured personal effects from the wreck, only to abandon them on shore. On one rock I found a small bag of peanuts, an empty wallet and a trinket of jade.

Another rock stored a brass Buddha and a prayer book.

Millions of lalchees, which have burst from their sea-soaked bags in the wreckage around the wreck. A lone British officer, who had already been without sleep for 48 hours, was aboard to look after the ship. Half a mile away, however, was an encampment of British soldiers, and as we came through Lyemnon Pass, No. 4 Police launch sped on her way to keep an all-night vigil against pirates.

Her arrival must have been a welcome sight to the one European aboard a ship which, in the years she has been on the Chinese coast, has never before had less than hundreds of people aboard.

## SOLDIERS ON GRAVE CHARGES

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torch and showed the meter, which said \$1.10. The passengers got out and walked to the rear where they had a discussion.

One of them called out "Come here." The driver turned to look but did not get out. The tall man now came to the left of the taxi, opened the door, putting one foot on the running board and the knee of the other leg on the seat. Without warning he struck the driver a violent blow with his fist on the left temple. The driver quickly pulled out his whistle, which was on a small chain and blew his whistle twice.

The other two men then appeared on his right and blows were rained on him from both sides. One of the men snatched his whistle, breaking the chain as he did so. The driver, with great presence of mind, extracted the ignition key from the dashboard and put it in his mouth. He then lost consciousness.

**TIED WITH TIES**

Some time later he regained consciousness and found himself on the hillside about five yards below the level of the road. He was gagged with a piece of cotton waste in his mouth and held in position by a necktie. His hands were secured behind his back with another tie and his feet were bound with a third.

After a struggle he released his hands and then cut the tie which bound his feet. He was feeling very dazed and sat for a moment to recover. He felt in his pocket for his watch, but it was gone. It had been in a celluloid case with a strap attached. He also discovered that \$11 in notes was missing from his jacket pocket.

He saw his own taxi near the prison which he reached at 3.25 a.m. and saw it had been searched. An electric torch was missing.

## GUARD'S STORY

To go back a little, an Indian guard on duty at the Women's Prison, Lai-chikok, saw a taxi come down the Castle Peak Road about 2.30 a.m. and stop. Three men got out and walked towards Shamshui. Three men were then seen by ricksha coolies at the junction of Lai-chikok Road and Nam Ching Street. One was taller than the other and one carried a suitcase. They went by ricksha to the Yau-mai Old Ferry, where they employed a motor boat. This emergency noticed their shirts were open and on the way over a torch was flashed by one of the men.

At 4.10 a.m. Military Police stopped accused as they were going up Seven and Sixpenny Hill, questioned them and took them to the Guard Room. Second accused was taken to the police on the way. When searched a torch and whistle were found on second accused. The case contained clothing and letters. The accused were taken to Yau-mai Police Station later in the day and charged.

First accused said, "Nothing to say."

Second accused said, "As regards the \$11 I know nothing about that. That (meaning the watch) was thrown away. These (the electric torch and whistle) were found in my suitcase."

Third accused said, "I have nothing to say, that's all."

## IDENTIFIED ONE

On the following day the men were put up for identification in the usual manner. There were 17 on parade. Second accused was wearing a bandage on his injured right hand. Sergeant Goodwin told him that he could himself choose whether to take it off or keep it on. Second accused took it off and at the same time he said "He was hard. I became wild when he blew the whistle and gave him an uppercut."

At the parade the driver picked out first accused—the tall man—who he did not identify the other two. The ricksha coolies, the motor boat canvasser and his folk were also brought on but they made no identification.

The crown case, concluded Mr. Williams, was that the three accused were the three Europeans throughout the case and the fact that they were not identified was due to the poor light under which they were seen when the incidents happened.

L/Cpl. Patrick Gregory said that he saw the accused holding a conversation on the verandah at 10.20 p.m. on July 5 and at 5.40 the next morning their beds had not been slept in. In reply to his Lordship's witness said accused often wore civilian clothes but he could not identify their ties.

Kwok Fung-cheong, taxi driver, who took three Europeans from the Star Ferry to Mongkok Ferry said he could not identify them but one carried a suitcase.

## RECOGNISED PROFILE

Leung Yiu identified the torch and whistle found on second accused as his own and said the suitcase produced in court was similar to the one his fares carried. He corroborated Mr. Williams' statement and added that although he did not identify second accused at the identification parade he recognised his profile now, as that of the man who sat next to him in the taxi.

First accused asked a question regarding the finding of the taxi outside Lai-chikok prison after the incident. His Lordship said to the jury: "Accused is suggesting that witness has told two different stories but I have looked up the depositions and they are exactly the same."

Second accused asked witness if he was sure he was one of the three who was concerned in the assault and robbery and witness repeated his remark made above.

Second accused: Well, are you sure that third accused was one of the men?

His Lordship: Witness has not identified third accused and in

Harker's own interest I advise you to leave well alone.  
Third accused when asked: If he had any questions said: When I hailed your taxi, do you say you were moving?  
Witness: Yes.  
Third accused: You were stationary, though the engine was running.

## IDENTIFICATION

Mr. W. Lo Dart Sparrow, A.S.P., testified to having held an identification parade at which 17 persons attended, including the three accused. The first prisoner was picked out by the taxi-driver as the "man" who jumped to the left hand side of the taxi and struck him." He failed to identify the other two accused.

Chang Kwai, a ricksha-puller, said that on the morning of July 6, when he was at the junction of Nanchang Street and Lai-chikok Road, he saw three men coming towards him from the direction of Nanchang Street. They hired his ricksha and two others, and asked to be driven to the Yau-mai motorboat wharf. On arrival the men gave them a dollar. One of the accused was carrying a suitcase similar to the one produced in Court.

After Chan Sam, another ricksha coolie, had given similar evidence, L/Cpl. Gregory, who was on duty at the Yau-mai ferry wharf, recalled having been awakened by noise shortly after 3 a.m. on July 6. He saw three Europeans, dressed in civilian clothing. One of them was carrying a suitcase. He asked the coxswain of the Tin Lee motorboat to take them to Hongkong. He could not identify the accused as the men who hired the motorboat.

## CORROBORATION

Corroborative evidence was given by Chan Tung, the coxswain, after which Guliam Nabi, assistant warden at Lai-chikok Prison testified to having seen a taxi stop outside the prison on the morning of July 6 when he was on duty. The taxi came from the direction of Castle Peak Road, and stopped almost in front of the gate to the female prison. Three men came out of the car and walked quickly towards Shamshui.

L/Cpl. E. B. Barnham, of the Military Police, said that on the morning of July 6 when he was on duty at the gate of Wellington Barracks, opposite Seven and Sixpenny Hill, he saw three Europeans, dressed in civilian clothes, standing at the foot of the hill. They were hesitating as if to go up or not. Finally they went up. He followed and eventually overtook them. The three men were the accused. The first prisoner was carrying a suitcase. He questioned them as to what they were doing, and the first accused replied that they had been out for a walk and were fed up. He took the men to the Guard, but on the way the second accused struck out at him, but missed. Later, the same prisoner complained that the left side of his right hand was swollen and was hurting him. The accused were subsequently searched by Rifleman Bush in his presence, and he saw the second prisoner produce a torch from his pocket.

## SEARCHED ACCUSED

Rifleman T. Bush testified to having searched the accused and of having examined the suitcase. In the suitcase he found several ties, cigarettes and various articles of clothing. No money was found on any of the accused. The first prisoner had nothing on his person in connection with the case, but the second voluntarily produced a torch and a police whistle.

In reply to the first prisoner, witness said he was wearing a bow tie at the time.

That all the accused were definitely sober was testified by Regimental Provost Sergeant H. Bradford who said that when he saw the prisoners on the morning in question they were in civilian clothes.

Detective-Sergeant C. H. Goodwin said that on the morning of July 6 he saw the taxi-driver in the charge room of Shamshui Police Station. The man was in a dazed condition; the left side of his face, from the temple to the mouth, was swollen, and his left eye was discoloured and practically closed. He went with the man to the scene of the robbery and there found the taxi, the seats of which were in disorder. Half-way between the 5½ and 6½ mile-stones, he found the key of the taxi.

## TORCH MARKED

In consequence of a message received later in the day, he went to Victoria Barracks where he saw the prisoners. The second accused claimed the suitcase as his, and in it he found a torch which bore the mark "Taxi No. 744." He then mentioned that he was looking for a pocket watch, whereupon the second accused said that it was thrown away before they started.

Subsequently, the prisoners were taken to the Yau-mai Police Station where they were charged. The first accused said, "Nothing to say." The second replied, "As regards the \$11 I know nothing about that. The watch was thrown away. The electric torch and police whistle were found in my suitcase." The third prisoner remarked: "I have nothing to say. That's all."

The following day, about noon he took the prisoners from their cells to the Indian constables' mess room, in preparation for the identification parade. The first hand of the second accused was bandaged and he told him he could take it off if he liked. The prisoner took it off and as he did so, remarked: "This jaw was hard. I became wild when he blew the whistle and gave him a blow."

The case is proceeding.

Mrs. Janie B. McCarty, editor of the Altadena Press, California, has been on a brief visit to Hongkong, in the course of a vacation in the Far East. She is accompanied by her little daughter, and leaves for Manila by the s.s. President Cleveland to-day, en route to the United States.

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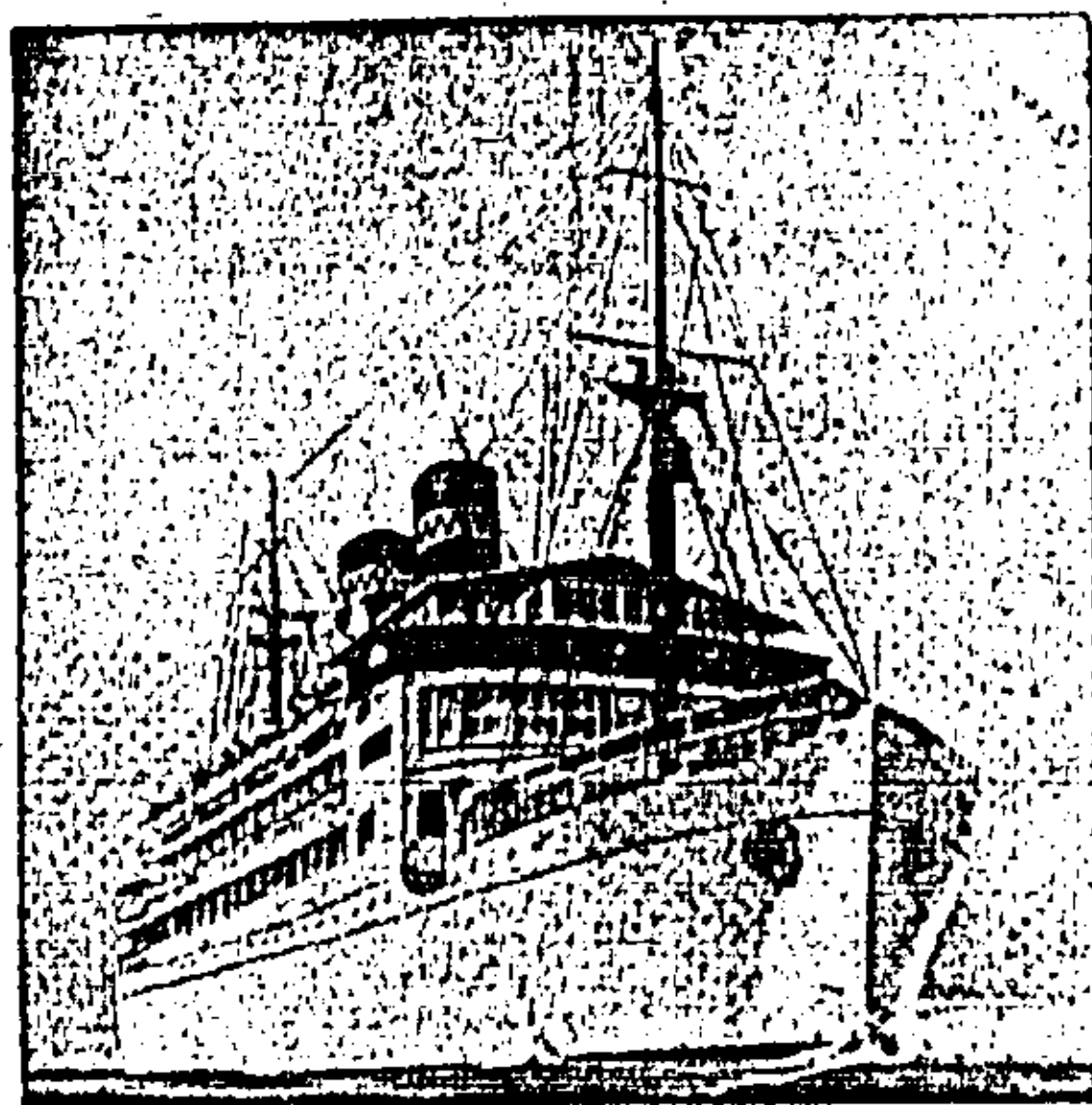
Japan	Jeypore	August 18.
Straits	Nagato Maru	August 18.
Straits and Europe via Suez, Letters and papers, London, 23rd July and London Parcels—London, 16th July.		
Manila	Chitral	August 19.
Shanghai and Amoy	Emp. of Japan	August 19.
Australia and Manila	Sinkiang	August 19.
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Haliphong	Sasama Maru	August 21.
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Dugulo Gold ..... 33 .34  
Benguet Consolidated 16.25 15.50  
Benguet Exploration .25 .20  
Big Wedge ..... .40 .41  
Consolidated Mines .06 .065  
Demonstration ..... 1.05 1.10  
Higon ..... 1.05 1.00  
Masbate ..... .06 .07  
San Mauricio ..... 1.05 2.00  
Suyoc ..... .40 .50  
United Paracale ..... 1.05 A.  
Market:—Steady.

## PORTUGUESE SENTENCED

### OPIUM POSSESSION PROVED

Appearing on remand before Mr. S. E. Hutton at the Central Magistrate's Court this morning, a Portuguese, named M. Francis Mendes, unemployed, of Hongkong, pleaded guilty to (1) possession of 40 taels of raw opium, and (2) possession of 120 taels of prepared opium.

Revenue Officer Ward said that at 6 a.m. on Sunday, defendant was seen coming off a steamer on the Wing Lok wharf, carrying a portmanteau. On being asked by a European Sergeant what the bag contained, defendant refused that he held two bottles of wine. Under the insistence of the Sergeant the portmanteau was opened by a key produced by the defendant, and opium was found to be the only contents of the basket.

When cross-examined at the Police Station, defendant said that the bag was given him to bring to Hongkong from Macao by a friend, who paid him \$2 to deliver it to a Chinese residing at 124 Des Voeux Road. Revenue Officer Ward said that he and Chief Revenue Officer Grimmett went to the above address, but could not find the man in question as he had gone to Canton, and up to the present time no trace of him could be found.

Defendant was sentenced to a fine of \$500, or, in default, ten months' hard labour, with an order for the confiscation of the opium.

## YOUTHS BOUND OVER

### THEFT OF SESAME SEEDS

Two lads, Tam King-shun, 17, and Cheung Shih, 18, pleaded guilty before Mr. E. Himmsworth at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court this morning when they were charged with theft of two bags of sesame seeds from Muk Kung-ming in Sai Kung Street.

Defendants had scaled the rear wall of a factory, and had taken the bags, all of which have been recovered.

The boys pleaded that they had to steal as they had nothing to eat. His Worship stated that it was very early in life for them to begin the life of a criminal, and that at the rate they were going they would soon be in contact with many hardened criminals. "On account of your young age," said His Worship, "I am going to be easy with you, but if you come up again, I won't be so easy." Each defendant was bound over in a sum of \$10 for one year.

## CYCLE THEFT

### ANOTHER CASE IN KOWLOON

Hung Ming, 31, unemployed, arrested by the Hongkong Police, was brought before Mr. E. Himmsworth at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court this morning, charged with theft of a bicycle belonging to Li Fui, 24, carpenter.

At 12.45 last night complainant left his bicycle outside 111 Wuhu Street. From inside the shop, complainant saw defendant take the bicycle and wheel it away. He ran out of the shop, chased and caught defendant about 10 yards from the shop.

Two previous convictions, three months for possession of opium and nine months for a breach of the Deportation Ordinance, were cited.

His Worship fined defendant \$10, or, in default, one month's imprisonment.

## BANISHEES AT THE SESSIONS

### ONE MAN WITH 13 CONVICTIONS

With 12 previous convictions, Leung Shing, 35, was sentenced to three years' hard labour by Mr. Justice Hayden at the Criminal Sessions this morning for breach of a deportation order. He was last banished on October 23, 1935, and was arrested on July 25 this year.

Regarded by the police as a nuisance rather than a serious criminal, Leung Shing received a sentence of 12 months' hard labour for a similar offence. He was banished on May 29, 1935, and was seen in the Colony on July 25 last when he was arrested.

Mr. M. J. Abbott, Assistant Crown Solicitor, prosecuted in both cases.

## NEW OFFICIALS FOR CANTON

### LEAVING SHANGHAI TO-MORROW

Shanghai, Aug. 18. Mr. Shih Yen-chang, new President of the Kwangtung High Court, and Mr. Chu Ku-min, Counsellor of the Ministry of Justice, are going to Canton to-morrow aboard the President Jefferson.

Mr. Wang Chung-hui also arrived here from Kuling last night and is going to Canton shortly on private business.—*Reuter.*

## SPURIOUS COIN POSSESSION

### BARBER GETS YEAR'S SENTENCE

Found guilty on a charge of possession of 200 counterfeit ten-cent pieces, Lai Hing-chol, 32, barber, of Lower Lascar Row, was sentenced to 12 months' hard labour by Mr. Justice J. J. Hayden at the Criminal Sessions this morning.

Mr. M. J. Abbott, Assistant Crown Solicitor, appeared for the prosecution, and the accused, who denied the charge, was not legally represented. The following jury was empanelled: Messrs. A. W. Black (foreman), L. A. Barros, So Yuet-wah, Tam Shing-foon, T. Ferguson, Pau Man-lok, and P. Kuelpa.

According to Mr. Abbott, the prisoner was arrested by District Watchman Lee Hong-sang on the evening of July 11 in Morrison Street, off Des Voeux Road Central. In his girdle was a parcel which contained the coins. The accused was taken to the Police Station and charged, and, in reply, he said the coins were given to him by a travelling trader on a ship.

Sgt. J. G. Whitcroft, attached to the Treasury, testified to having examined the coins and found them all to be counterfeit. The rims were of uneven thickness, and the Chinese characters and King's head did not stand out as prominently as on genuine coins. The colour was also slightly tarnished. The imitation was good and could deceive many persons.

After evidence of arrest had been given by the district watchman, Detective-Sgt. J. Shepherd deposed to having opened the parcel and found the coins.

The jury retired for about 15 minutes and returned a verdict of guilty.

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

### MARKET QUIET YESTERDAY

New York, Aug. 17. Swan, Culbertson & Fritz, Dow Jones summary of yesterday's markets.—The market to-day was quiet and prices declined early in the day, but rallied late in the session, led by steel issues which, however, closed irregularly lower. Copper shares declined due to the lower price of the metal. Silver, farm, railroad and aviation stocks were also lower, whilst sugar shares barely held their own. Interest is now centred on commodities. The bonds market was irregularly lower. Stocks on the Curb Exchange were lower.

S. C. & F. Wall Street Journal morning comment.—Demand for stocks is now lessening as traders are growing cautious, due to the liberal way in which the market is discounting earnings. The continued strength of steel scrap prices indicates the increasing activity in the industry. Wall Street is pessimistic with regard to the White House indication of no new increases in taxes. Speculative interest in commodities is decreasing.

S. C. & F. New York office cables: Stocks.—The market developed heaviness as traders turned cautious. The Pennsylvania Railroad Company earned 89 cents per share for the 6 months ended June 30, as against 77 cents during the corresponding 6 months of last year. The Times Index rose 10.5 points last week, is 103.0 as against the revised figure of 102.7 the previous week and 85.8 during the corresponding week of last year.

Cotton.—Further crop complaints from the South-West had a slight effect on the market. An improvement is reported in export inquiry. Hedging is light, but it is anticipated to increase in the near future. This expectation is checked by aggressive demand.

Wheat.—The mill markets and cash wheat are strong. Unfavourable weather conditions are delaying harvesting in Canada. The visible supply of wheat has increased by 3,093,000 bushels.

Corn.—Good rains over the main corn belt are over-shadowed by dryness and high temperatures in the West. There is a large European demand. An Argentine official estimate gives the remaining exportable surplus of corn from that country at 240,000,000 bushels. This is construed as a bullish factor. The visible supply has decreased by 514,000 bushels.

Rubber.—The market is dull. Consumption during July totalled 49,128 tons. The English stock of rubber decreased by 1,001 tons during the past week.

## REUTER QUOTATIONS

Dow Jones Averages:  
Aug. 15. Aug. 17.  
30 Industrials ..... 105.00 103.30  
20 Rails ..... 53.08 53.61  
20 Utilities ..... 24.76 24.53  
40 Bonds ..... 103.88 103.02  
11 Commodity Index unquoted 67.48

## ALTITUDE RECORD

### FRENCHMAN SETS WORLD MARK

Paris, Aug. 17. The French alman, Georges Detre has established a new world record for altitude flight, 34,896 metres. The previous record, 14,333 metres, was set by an Italian alman named Donati in April, 1934.—*Reuter.*

## DENMARK'S THANKS

London, Aug. 17. The Danish Government has expressed its thanks for the prompt assistance recently rendered by the British authorities in connection with the evacuation of Danish and Icelandic subjects from Spain.—*British Wireless.*

## JAPANESE FIGURE IN INCIDENT

### UNEMPLOYED MAN SENTENCED

Charged with assault and with having behaved in a disorderly manner by throwing a melon skin at Wong Hing-ile, motor-driver, of No. 4 St. Francis Yard, Chin Sui, 24, unemployed, was sentenced to a fine of \$50, or, in default, two months' hard labour, by Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistrate's Court this morning.

Stating the facts of the case, Sergeant Fowle said that on Friday, while D.143 was on duty in Ramsey Street, he was attracted by a great deal of noise to a large gathering of Chinese who were apparently involved in a brawl. Arriving at the spot, he saw a group of about six Japanese, being pestered by the Chinese who were shouting "Tai Tai!" A public vehicle then passed, driven by the complainant, who stopped to see what was happening. The Japanese party saw the car, and hired it, getting on board and giving directions to the driver to drive away.

The Chinese detective next saw the defendant pick up a melon skin which was lying in a gutter, and throw it at the occupants on the car. It could not be said whether he meant to throw it at the Japanese or not, but the melon skin struck the driver on the face. Avoiding trouble, the complainant drove off, and the detective tried to arrest defendant on the spot, but owing to the hostility of the crowd, he had to let him walk away, at the same time keeping a close watch on him, and finally arrested him near the Water Police Station. The complainant was traced, and the defendant was later charged.

Sergeant Fowle asked Mr. Balfour to take a serious view of the case, such as an action on the part of the defendant might revive serious trouble between the Chinese and Japanese communities.

## ABDUCTED YOUNG GIRL

### BRICKLAYER SENT TO PRISON

An abduction case in which Chan Fung, 37, widow, mother of the victim, charged Chung Wah, 20, bricklayer in the employ of Ching Lei firm of builders, with the abduction of her 10-year-old daughter, was brought to a close at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court this morning when sentence of nine months' imprisonment was given defendant.

On August 27, 1935, the girl was reported missing from her home at 572 Reclamation Street, at the same time as defendant, who lived at the same house. The next time that the mother saw her daughter was about two weeks ago when she said she met her with defendant in a friend's house in Des Voeux Road.

According to the girl's story, she had gone to a dentist on August 27 of last year and, in the dentist's office had met defendant, who told her that he had a clansman who practised dentistry and that he could save her much money. She asked him to take her there, and he did so.

The clansman was absent at the time, and defendant, according to the girl, asked her to go to Macao with him to secure work. She consented and they stayed at a friend's house in that city. After staying in Macao for two weeks, defendant took the girl to his native village, where they lived as man and wife. Two weeks ago, according to the girl, he left her and she came back to Hongkong alone.

Defendant denied this, stating that he brought the girl back himself.

Det.-Inspector E. J. Ellis, of the S.C.A., stated that the prosecution regarded this as a very serious offence.



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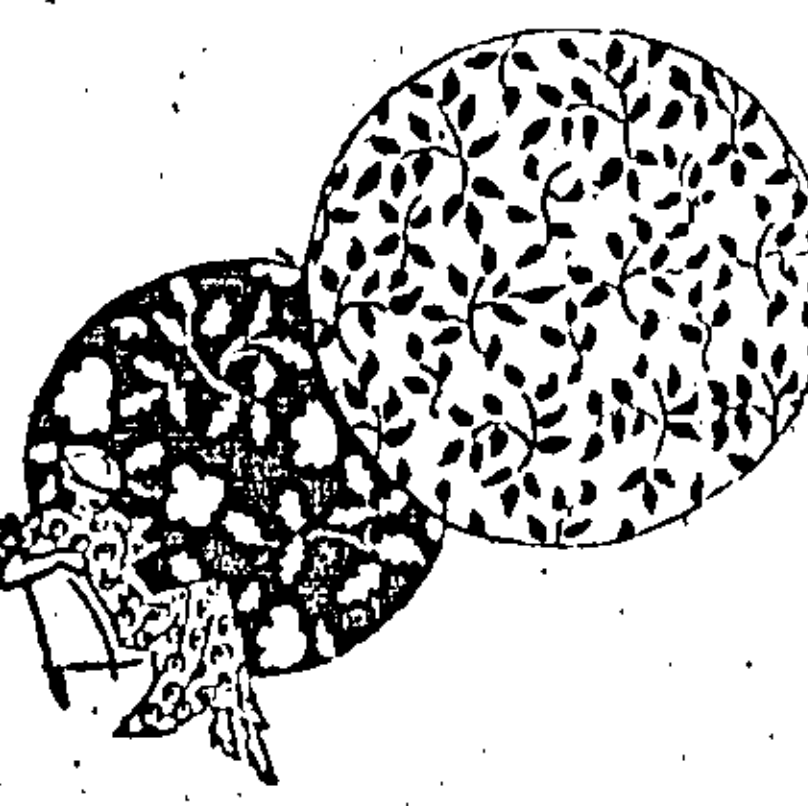
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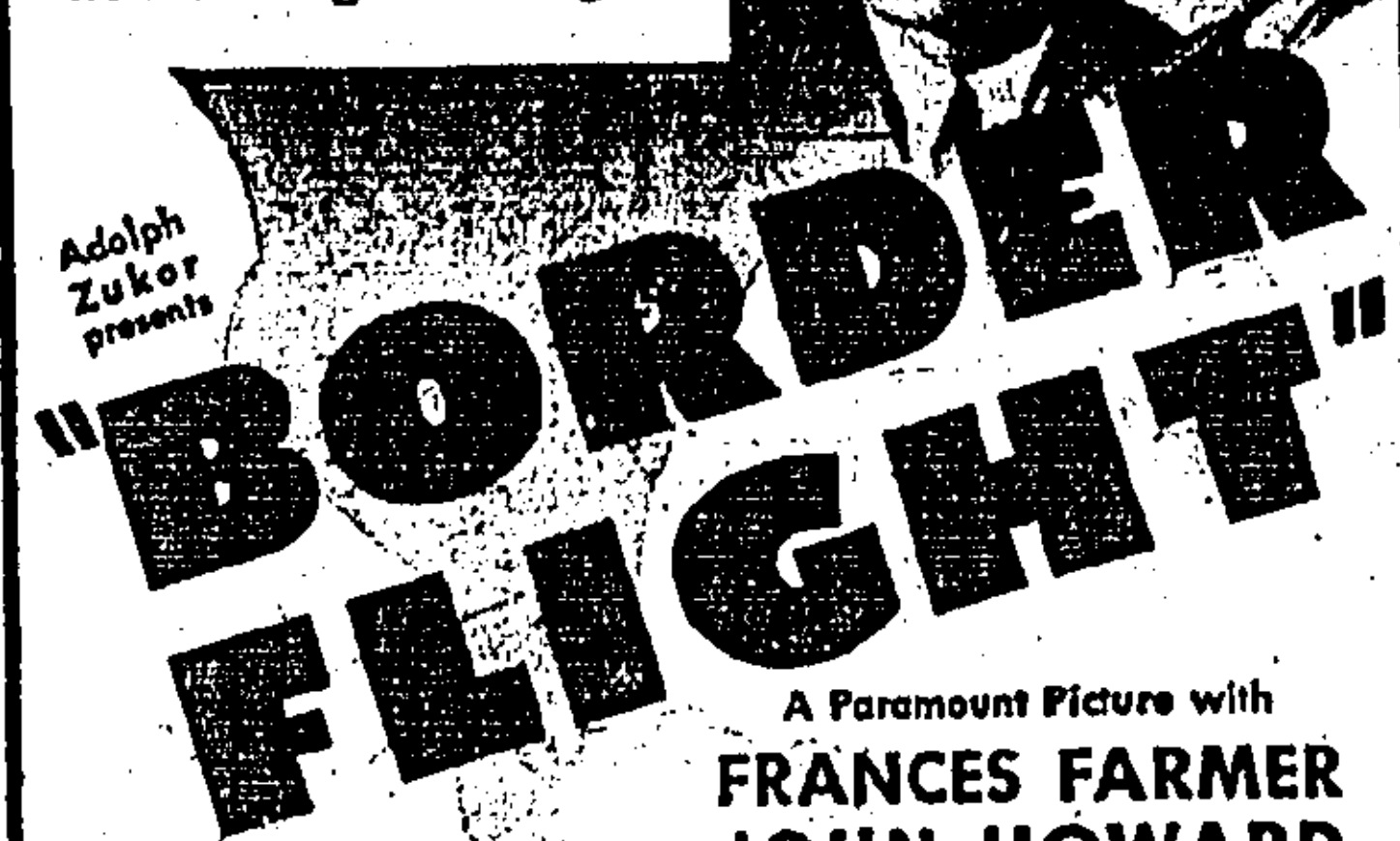
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## QUEEN'S • TO-MORROW •

### MONEY AND JEWELS STOLEN

### ACCOUNTANT AND AMAH CHARGED

Charged with stealing a cash-box containing \$355 and six pieces of jewellery from her mistress' bedroom, Ma Yee, 36, amah, pleaded guilty when she appeared before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistrate's Court this morning. Charged with receiving was a rice shop accountant, Tsao Choi-hung, 24. Mr. D. B. Evans, appearing on his behalf, pleaded not guilty, asking for a date to be fixed for hearing.

A provisional hearing was fixed for Friday afternoon, and Tsao was allowed out on \$1,000 bail, \$500 in cash and the rest in bond.

Giving the facts of the case, Lance-Sergeant Dowman said that the amah

was employed at 23 Village Road by Cheung Lung, 33-year-old married woman. On August 7 the cash-box was missing and the police were called in. Another amah, Wong Sze, was suspected, but nothing could be proved against her. The mistress forbade either of her servants to leave the house until the culprit was found.

On Sunday, Ma Yee, accompanied by Wong Sze, confessed to the crime. Both amahs were sent to Tsao's shop in Tsao Cheung Street, and the cash-box was found in a bag of rice. When opened, only \$11.35 and a ring, valued at \$5, was discovered. The total value of the cash-box contents was about \$370.

Sgt. Dowman asked the Magistrate to suspend sentence on the amah until Friday afternoon, as she was to be a witness against the accountant, to whom she declared she gave the stolen valuables.

The request was granted.





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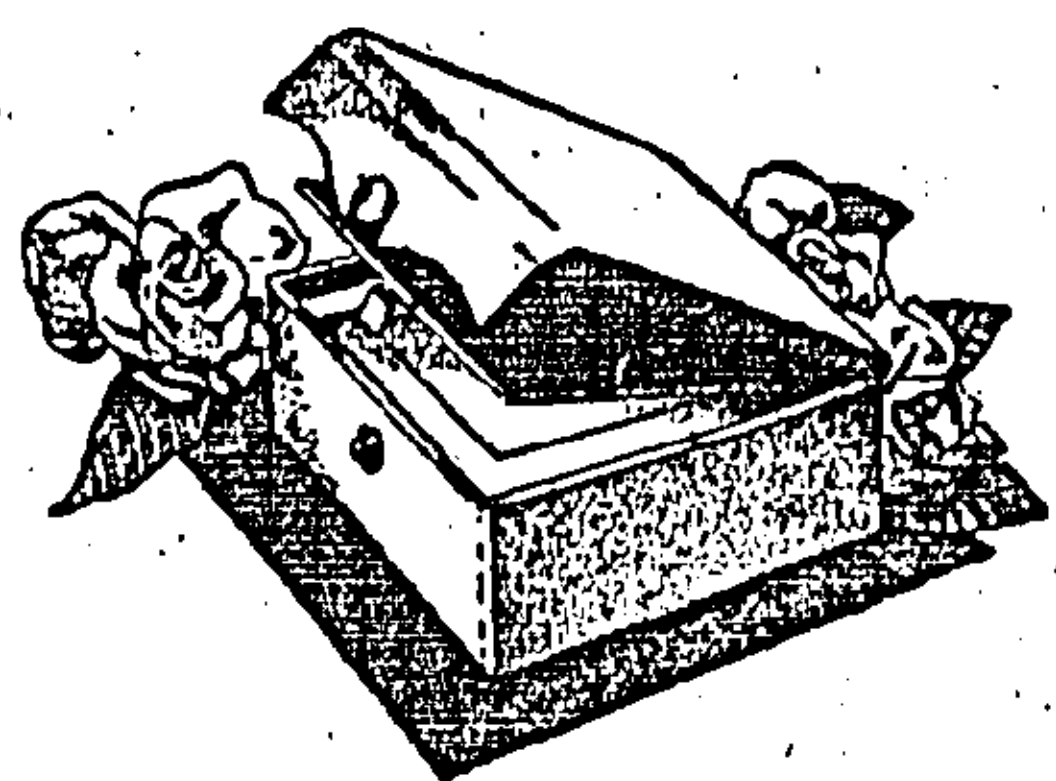
- DB-2849 She is far from the land (Lambert) John McCormack.  
Drink to me only with thine eyes (Calcott) John McCormack.
- B-8442 Sweet Melody of Night (Film—"Give us this night")  
My Love and I (Film—"Give us this night") Webster Booth.
- B-8443 Load the covered wagon (Kane & Hunt) Peter Dawson.  
Rolling Along (Film "Music goes 'round") Peter Dawson.
- B-8444 Where am I? (Film—"Stars over Broadway") James Melton.  
Carry me back to the Lone Prairie James Melton.
- B-8445 The Spanish Lady (Hughes) Stuart Robertson.  
Limchouse Reach (Proctor-Gregg) Stuart Robertson.
- B-8446 A little love, a little kiss (Silcox) Derek Oldham.  
Nocturne ("Song of Love") (Curran) Derek Oldham.
- B-8453 Busy, busy (Picon-Ellstein) Molly Picon.  
The Song of the Tonement (Picon-Ellstein) Molly Picon.
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## The Hongkong Telegraph.

TUESDAY, AUG. 18, 1936.

### TYPHOON RESCUE WORK

Substantial as the toll of damage has been—happily not of a major character, if we except the shipping casualties—the Colony must count itself fortunate that it escaped the full force of the typhoon which came perilously near to registering a direct hit on Hongkong in the early hours of yesterday morning. Actually, the disturbance, which was of marked severity, passed south of Gap Rock, some forty or fifty miles from the Colony. Even as it was, a maximum wind velocity of over 130 miles per hour was recorded in two specific gusts. The probability is that had Hongkong been in the direct path of the typhoon, abnormally high wind velocities would have been of greater duration, with much more damage and heavier loss of life than has to be recorded. It is in times of emergency such as the typhoon provided that the special duties which fall on the Police Force and the Fire Brigade come into particular prominence. In the present instance, both these branches of the public service did yeoman work under most trying and difficult conditions. This is especially true of the Water Police, whose major accomplishment was the magnificent rescue of the passengers and crew of the China Navigation Company's steamer Sunning, which came to grief in Junk Bay. It was in response to S.O.S. signals that the No. 1 police launch battled through mountainous seas from Mirs Bay to the scene of the disaster—a feat of no mean order when account is taken of the conditions under which the little craft operated. But that is only part of the story. Arriving on the scene, the launch found it utterly impossible, by reason of the rocky nature of the coast where the Sunning lay, to get near the distressed craft. Not to be defeated, however, those in charge of the launch effected a hazardous landing some distance away, and then followed a trek of an hour and a half to the scene of the mishap, where, with the aid of ropes, the hundred and fifty passengers and crew were pulled ashore in one of the Sunning's lifeboats. Altogether, a splendid piece of

MANILA Bay, in the Philippines, in the month of August 1898. Three fleets, British, American and German, have assembled in this beautiful harbour. And not by accident.

Between Spain, still mistress of the Philippines, and the United States, war is raging. It began when the American battleship, Maine, visiting Cuba in the midst of a rebellion of the people of that island against their Spanish overlords, was mysteriously blown up in Havana harbour.

Both in Cuba and the Philippines, Spaniards and Americans are at grips.

The world watches the struggle, but not with an unbiased eye. Nations are taking sides; sympathies are aroused; passions rise.

Austria has a dynastic interest in Spain. The French, owners of Spanish bonds, have an inclination for dividend diplomacy. The Kaiser seeks a colonial outlet for his people in Brazil and observes with displeasure that the United States, with its arrogant Monroe doctrine, stands in the way. Italy follows the Germans.

The whole Press of Europe plays variations on the theme stated by the *Journal des Debats*: "America has committed an act of international piracy."

The Great Powers seek to prevent the war by presenting to the American Government a joint note of a menacing character. The meaning of the Note is plain: the Powers will intervene forcibly against the United States in the event of war.

However, there is one difficulty about the Note. The Powers approach Britain, asking that country to join with them. And Britain refuses to do so.

This action of the British Government carried with it the up-

work, which reflects the highest credit on those in charge of the police craft. In the destruction of contractors' sheds at Stanley, which resulted in some hundred and fifty workmen being trapped in the debris, police also figured prominently in rescue work which resulted in the lives of all but three being saved. Thanks to the enterprise and initiative of the sergeant in charge a rescue gang was soon feverishly at work in the dark, and with the subsequent aid of officers and men of the Fire Brigade, what at one time bore possibilities of a major disaster was rendered far less serious. Splendid work was also done by the Fire Brigade in the collapse at Jardine's Bazaar. These incidents are but a few of many which occurred yesterday in which courage and determination played a conspicuous part. They serve to show that the particular branches of the Government service involved can and do rise to the occasion when opportunity presents itself. It is only right, therefore, that due tribute should be paid; indeed, it may well be that there have been deeds performed in these rescue efforts which are worthy of official recognition.

# KINSMEN

Thirty-eight Years ago yesterday Spain and the United States were at war and the famous Battle of Manila Bay was fought. Here is the story of an "incident" that is a lesson for to-day.

proval of the British people. launch was seen making for the There was no doubt where Bri- American flagship. Dewey, fish sympathy lay. When news cleared for action, trained a of the declaration of war arriv- searchlight on it. The launch ed in London, the city was one showed no flag. Dewey fired a mass of American flags. When warning shot. The launch still the American Admiral Dewey came on. Dewey snapped out steamed out of Hongkong har- the order, "Fire to hit." A tall bour to attack the Spanish fleet column of water rose menacing- in the Philippines, British sailors ly a few yards from the launch, lined the rails, cheering the which stopped in a swirl of water and displayed the German Americans.

In Manila Bay, Dewey won a spectacular victory over the On another occasion the Ger- Spanish Philippine squadron, mans, in breach of the blockade, after a bombardment of two and landed provisions for the a half hours. From that day Spaniards. Dewey sent his flag- the Americans blockaded Manila. Lieutenant in the German ad-

But the blockade had been miral, von Deiderich: carried out in presence of Bri- "Tell von Diederich he can tish and German warships. The have a fight if he wants it." purpose of the Germans was plain—to secure their own posi- tion as the heirs of Spain in the Pacific. The purpose of the British was equally clear—to what to do in the case of actual prevent the Americans being the American admiral?"

"Yes," answered the English- man. "What are they?" "They are known to only two persons—myself and Dewey." Thanks to the co-operation of the British fleet, it is the Ameri- cans and not the Germans who take over the control of the Philippines.

Dewey, having proclaimed a blockade of Manila, found him- self in the presence of a superior German fleet. He gave the order, as he had the right to do, past the British cruisers, the that no ships should enter the strains of music came over the harbour after nightfall. This blue waters. The bands of the British blue-jackets were play- ing "See the Conquering Hero Comes" and "The Star-Spangled Banner."

And now came the climax of this drama played out by three Then one night a mysterious fleets in the Pacific.

For on the British flagship, the commander, Captain Chichester, was not looking at the Americans. Through his glasses he was watching the German fleet. His face was anxious.

The Germans had steam up. They were moving. They were following the Americans up the bay!

With what object? To help the Spaniards in the impending battle? To attack the American fleet?

Captain Chichester had orders to give. At his word signal-flags were hoisted. Slowly the British ships swung round. They moved forward in line. When they were exactly in the path of the oncoming Germans, they stopped. It appeared that they were ready for action.

For a few minutes, the German ships still came on; the situation was full of danger—the danger of war. War, with the British Empire as the ally of the United States, in a death-grapple with the rising power of Germany!

Captain Chichester watches the Germans through his glasses. He sees them slow up, halt and turn away. He looks with a smile at his officers.

And so, with a sudden easing of the tension, the crisis in Manila Bay ends. Dewey and his Americans steam on to do battle. The American land forces, move to the attack. Soon an American flag lieutenant hauls down the Spanish standard in the Plaza of Manila. Spain's empire in the Pacific is at an end.

This co-operation of the two navies, British and American, was only an expression of a union of sympathy between the two branches of the Anglo-Saxon race, defying the jealousy of the rest of the world.

To-day there are signs that the co-operation of those days may be renewed, and in the same place, the Pacific Ocean. The American Senator, Key Pittman, has proposed a joint demonstration by the navies of the two countries. He is not a private individual. He is chairman of the U.S. Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

But his proposal derives its peculiar authority from the fact that it represents the views of a growing movement of opinion among the people of the United States for closer relations between the two countries.

There has been a big response in Britain. It is felt instinctively by the people of this country that a policy which brings us into line with the United States must be the right path for us to take.

Britain and the United States seek the same objects and desire to achieve the same results. We want peace for our people above everything. Many of us are convinced that there can be no peace except in co-operation with America.

To attain that co-operation we must adopt a common policy. It is only by following the path of isolation that we can expose to the world a common front with the Americans.

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If we were to guarantee peace within the bounds of all the lands inhabited by the British and the American peoples, we should set an example to the world, we should show the way to prosperity and happiness. And on that account we would surely become the envy of the European nations.

Other peoples will emulate our success and, in furnishing them with leadership and example, we shall fulfil our mission in the world and our duty to men.

### SIDE GLANCES By George Clark



"But, mama, I don't want to look like Shirley Temple. I want to look like Myrna Loy."



# WINNER OF RADIO COMPETITION

## Voters Show Overwhelming Desire for Lighter Programmes

### SIXTY PER CENT NOT SATISFIED WITH ZBW

FOLLOWING almost a week's intensive checking and re-checking of entries in the ZBW Popular Item radio vote, the "Telegraph" is able to announce the results and the name of the winner of the handsome Philco medium-wave receiver, donated by Messrs. Philco Radio Distributors.

The ten items chosen by entrants were, in their order of popularity:

- |                               |              |
|-------------------------------|--------------|
| 1. Dance Music                | 4,441 points |
| 2. Variety                    | 4,002 "      |
| 3. Hongkong Hotel Relays      | 3,100 "      |
| 4. Orchestral                 | 2,947 "      |
| 5. Classical                  | 2,408 "      |
| 6. Military Bands             | 2,297 "      |
| 7. Light Opera                | 2,248 "      |
| 8. Daventry Relays, General   | 1,950 "      |
| 9. Grand Opera                | 1,707 "      |
| 10. Daventry Relays, Sporting | 1,454 "      |

As mentioned in the Rules, points were allotted on the basis of ten points for a No. 1 vote, nine points for a No. 2 vote, eight points for a No. 3 vote and so on, down to one point for a No. 10 vote.

Altogether, 603 entries were received, the majority on the two last days of the competition, when over 400 came in.

No entrant succeeded in forecasting the result in correct order of popularity. Many readers succeeded in correctly placing three and four items. Only one entrant correctly placed five items; this was

CHARLES SYLVA, 319 Nathan Road, 2nd floor, to whom, therefore, the prize has been awarded.

The winner's coupon contained actually eight of the ten chosen items, but only five were in the correct order of preference.

The winner is requested to take delivery of the prize from Messrs. Sennet Freres.

Since there was no tie, there was no necessity for the judges to be called in to decide which of the winning competitors had submitted the best suggestions for the improvement of ZBW's programmes. As a matter of interest, however, it should be mentioned that the re-check of the entries was carried out under the personal supervision of the two judges.

Some 150 entrants submitted suggestions for improving ZBW's programmes, despite the fact that this was not a compulsory feature of the competition. The tabulation of these suggestions is a task distinct from that of discovering the winner of the competition, and is expected to occupy some weeks. It is hoped to publish the most interesting and constructive in a series of articles, commencing on Saturday.

Another non-compulsory portion of the competition was even more liberally made use of by entrants.

The remarkably high total of 586 of the 603 entrants answered one or more of the three questions designed to discover whether ZBW listeners desired early morning programmes or relays from short wave stations other than Daventry, and the more important question regarding the popularity of the local station with listeners.

A total of 556 entrants answered the first question in the following manner:

	YES	NO
"Would you like to have early morning programmes from ZBW?"	422	134

Listeners indicated their desire for relays from stations other than Daventry in even more certain fashion. The response to the second question was:

	YES	NO
"Would you like relays from short wave stations other than Daventry?"	455	92

Only forty-nine of the 603 entrants failed to answer the third question, which sought to discover whether listeners were satisfied with ZBW's existing programmes. Of the 554 entrants who voted, 362, or 65.34 per cent, expressed dissatisfaction. The result was:

	YES	NO
"Are you satisfied with ZBW's present programmes?"	192	362

Much more value is placed on the response to these three questions, and to the request for suggestions for improving ZBW's programmes, than on the actual result of the competition itself. It was felt before the competition started that the introduction of the prize-winning element would undoubtedly be a factor in inducing some competitors to vote in accord with what they considered would be the popular choice, rather than their own preferences.

This belief must, however, be modified, in view of the actual result. Many entrants voted for subjects which could not possibly have been placed in the first ten.

It is interesting to note that the fact that they adhered to their convictions did not rob them of an opportunity of winning the prize, since the winner succeeded in choosing, in their correct order, only five of the ten subjects voted for by the majority of entrants.

Thus, an entrant voting for Zylphone Items, Popular Songs, French and Spanish Vocal Recordings and Chamber Music, to mention four of the lowest placed items, could quite conceivably have won the prize.

Altogether, 59 separate items received votes. In addition to the first ten, these were Piano Solo (1,434), Daventry Relays, Dance Music (1,267), Jazz Piano (936), Studio Variety (707), Studio Talks (705), Studio Concerts (450), Rotary Club Relays (438), Musical Comedy (397), Router Press Bulletins (386), B.B.C. Dance Orchestra (342), Symphony Items (258), Organ Recitals (251), Vocal Gems (208), Violin Items (199), Daventry Press Bulletins (160), Gilbert & Sullivan (160), Local Sporting (153), Light Concerts (119). BELOW 100 POINTS in their correct order—Church Services, Tenor Items, Folk Songs, Hawaiian String Music, Stock and Share Markets, Amateur Hours, Choral Music, Daventry Organ Relays. BELOW TEN POINTS—Hill Billies, Concert Waltzes, Advertising Hours, Manila Relays, Cantonese Lessons, Old Time Melodies, Dramatized History of Hongkong, Chamber Music, French and Spanish Vocal Items, Popular Songs, Novelty Items, Surprise Interviews, Zylphone.

## TYPHOON HAVOC



All that remains of the Police Training School at the Corner of Prince Edward and Nathan Roads, Kowloon. Buried beneath the debris is one of the police emergency vans. (See Page 11 for further typhoon photos.)

## Fascist Terrorism in Rumania

Bucharest, Aug. 8.

THE murder here of Mihail Stelescu is new evidence of the frenzy now sweeping Rumanian anti-Semitic fanatics.

For years these spoiled darlings of Rumanian nationalism have tortured and murdered Jews. Now they are using the same methods against all their rivals.

Chief among the anti-Semitic leaders is Professor A. C. Cuza. For two decades he has had no other aim than to incite students in the name of Christ to persecute Jews.

This professor has prepared many a pogrom and kept whole provinces in fear. He heads a political party and an ever-growing number of prominent politicians stoop to associate with him.

Even more violent than Cuza's "Christian Soldiers" marching to war against the Jews are the Iron Guards led by Captain Codreanu. They are armed, wear uniforms, are pledged themselves to commit any act their leader commands. Their movement is enveloped in religious mysticism and many priests are in their ranks.

Some of their most ardent killers are theological students. Their political programme is very similar to Hitlerism. They are against all foreigners.

Of the 18,000,000 people living in Rumania 5,000,000 are foreigners. A million are Jews. And these foreigners, especially the Jews, hold very important positions.

So powerful is Jewish influence that sooner or later practically every Jew-baiter is elected to a sinecure position in a Jewish firm. This feeds the popular belief that the Jews are the authors of Rumania's notorious civic corruption.

The slogan "Rumania for the Rumanians" is becoming a vital issue.

## DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

THINGS ARE AND VILE, HOLDING NO QUANTITY, LOVE CAN TRANSPORT TO FORM AND DIGNITY.—Shakespeare.

Bogh Singh, the Indian constable charged with killing a comrade, made another appearance at the Central Magistracy this morning. Mr. W. Brown, appearing on his behalf, asked the Magistrate, Mr. Schofield, to fix a date for hearing, upon which 2.30 p.m. on Thursday, August 27, was agreed upon.

Sentence of twelve months' hard labour was imposed on Wong Tim, unemployed, when he appeared before Mr. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, charged with returning before the expiration of his period of banishment. He had been sent away for 10 years last month, and had two previous convictions against him for returning prematurely. Inspector R. Shannon prosecuted.

Admitting that he was a vagrant, William John Garton, 45, unemployed, was committed to the House of Detention, by Mr. S. P. Bailfour at the Central Magistracy this morning, until an expulsion order could be made. Sergeant Lockland stated that Garton was on his way from Shanghai to London, and was travelling on the Fushing Maru, but missed the boat in Hongkong. Realising his plight, he gave himself up to the police.

Admitting a charge of unlawful possession of a revolver and six rounds of ammunition, said to have been stolen from the Tiam Sub Station, Ma Ting, 48-year-old unemployed man, was sentenced to 18 months' hard labour by Mr. Justice Hayden at the Criminal Sessions this morning. It was stated that the accused was at present serving a sentence for larceny in a dwelling house. His present term was to take effect from the expiration of the sentence he is now serving. Mr. M. J. Abbott, Assistant Crown Solicitor, prosecuted.

Two cases of Typhoid were reported to the local Health Authorities during the week-end.

Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day totalled 0.19-inch. The total since January 1 is 54.22 inches, against an average of 61.88 inches.

Lam Yat, a coolie employed at Tai Koo Dock, fell under a locomotive in the yard, working last Sunday, and received severe injuries. He was taken to the Government Civil Hospital.

A flannel dance will be held by the local section of the Health, Strength, Sports & Athletic Club at Hotel Cecil on Saturday, August 22, from 8.45 p.m. to 12.45 a.m. Members and their friends are welcome to attend, admission charges. By kind permission of Lieut. Col. R. M. Rodwell and Officers, the dance orchestra of the 1st Bn. Royal Ulster Rifles will be in attendance.

Chan Mut, aged 23, unemployed, was fined \$50, or six weeks' hard labour, before Mr. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, when he admitted the possession of a quantity of heroin pills. Inspector R. Shannon stated that defendant, when searched, was found to have the pills concealed in the folds of his trousers. Defendant was arrested on August 10, at Saigon Street near Reclamation Street.

Appearing on remand before Mr. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, Ho Shun, aged 20, married woman, who was charged with the possession of heroin pills at No. 161 Cheung Sha Wan Road, was discharged on the application of Revenue Officer P. J. O'Neill, who stated that an examination of the pills by the Government Monopoly Analyst revealed that they contained no heroin. Defendant had previously been charged together with her mother, and she claimed the pills belonged to her husband who was not found.

## RADIO BROADCAST

Variety Concert From The Studio

### RECORDED PROGRAMME

From Z. B. W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 kilocycles):

4-7 p.m. Chinese Programme.

7-11 p.m. European Programme.

7 p.m. Selections from "The Gondoliers" (Gilbert & Sullivan).

7.18 p.m. Concert Waltzes.

My Darling Waltz ("The Gipsy Baron") (J. Strauss); Life in the Vienna Feller.

7.30 p.m. Harry Roy and his Tiger Ragamuffins.

1. Waltz Medley; 2. Shine; My Sweetie went away; Sweet Jenny Lee; 3. Farewell Blues; You rascal you; Muddy Waters; 4. Sweet Sue, Just you; Heebie Jeebies; I wonder where my baby is to-night.

7.45 p.m. The London Piano Accordion Band.

Wine Song ("Caravan"); Remembrance; I have lost my heart in Budapest; Calling me Home.

8 p.m. Local: Time Signal, Weather Report, Stock Quotations and announcements.

8.05 p.m. Variety Items.

Songs—Melody from the Sky; Is it true what they say about Dixie? Frances Langford; Orchestra—Waltz Hoo! Tain't no use. Jimmy Dorsey and his Orchestra; Songs—It's Great to be in love again; A Waltz was born in Vienna; Turner Layton; Instrumental—Pavlovina; Lullaby; Halleluya; Ray Kiley.

8.25 p.m. A Relay from Daventry.

Cricket: A running commentary by Howard Marshall on the third Test Match from the Oval, London.

8.35 p.m. Marek Weber and his Orchestra.

Spring's Delight—March and Intermezzo (Allabout); Deutschmeister Regimental March (Jurek); Indra Woltz (Lincke); Love's Dream after the Ball (Czibulka); Blumenfeld, Op. 30 (Lange); Luna Waltz (Lincke); Love's Old Sweet Song (Molloy); Where my caravan has rested (Lohr).

9 p.m. News and announcements from London.

9.20 p.m. Two Folk Dances: The Plamborough Sword Dance (Sharpe); Kirby Malzeard Sword Dance (Sharpe).

9.30 p.m. From the Studio.

Collect Parker (Vocal); Albert Eddy (Piano); A. W. Whitehead (Saxophone).

Programme.

1. Song—If you love me; 2. Saxophone Solo—Valse Vanite; 3. Piano Solo—Old Hungarian Melodies; 4. Song—Yehi Mani; 5. Saxophone Solo—Eternal Response; 6. Piano Solo—Old Hungarian Melodies; 7. Song—Tormented; 8. Saxophone Solo—Sax-o-plum; 9. Piano Solo—Old Hungarian Melodies.

10 p.m. Big Ben from London.

Vocal Song Memories.

Let's have a chorus; Honey-suckle and the Bee; If you want to know the time ask a Policeman; Sweet Genevieve; At Trinity Church; Vive la Compagnie; When Johnny comes marching home.

10.20 p.m. Dance Music by Jack Hylton and his Orchestra.

11 p.m. Close Down.

## Diamond Thief Was Tracked from Paris to Venezuela

Paris, Aug. 10.

THE tracking of a diamond thief from Paris to Venezuela and his arrest there by the man from whom the diamonds were stolen, was described in the Paris Criminal Courts when a diamond merchant named Rozanis was sentenced to 15 months' imprisonment for stealing diamonds and other precious stones, valued at 750,000 francs (£10,000).

Rozanis who was well known among Paris diamond merchants, was lost the jewels by a number of merchants on the understanding that he was to place them with a wealthy friend. On the following day he disappeared.

One of the Paris merchants, A. M. Hayard, discovered that he was making for South America. Hayard took the next boat, and after months of searching in Colombia and Venezuela, finally found Rozanis in Caracas.

Rozanis was arrested. He alleged that he had sold the gems to two men, Leon Mayer and Adolf Godenberg, before leaving Paris.

These men were sentenced to six months' imprisonment each and ordered to reimburse the merchants.

—United Press.

### LOCAL SHOWERS

A weak anticyclone area covers Manchuria and Japan, while pressure is relatively low over the Pacific between the Philippines and the Caroline. A depression is situated to the north-west of Hongkong, which is probably the typhoon of yesterday. Local forecast:—S.E. winds, moderate; fair, generally with local showers.



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U.S. Cross rate in London	8.02 1/2

A dinner dance will be held on the Open Roof of Repulse Bay Lido, weather permitting, and at Repulse Bay Hotel in event of bad weather, on Wednesday at 9 p.m.

## Help Kidneys

### Don't Take Drastic Drugs

Your kidneys have nine million tiny tubes or filters which are endangered by neglect or drastic, irritating drugs. Beware! If kidney trouble or bladder weakness makes you suffer from getting up at night, Leg Pains, Nervousness, Dizziness, Stiffness, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuritis, Burning, Itching, Smelling, Acedy or Loss of Vision, don't delay. Try the Doctor's new discovery called Cystex (5-in-1). Soothes, tones, cleanses and builds sick kidneys. Starts work in 15 minutes. Brings new health, youth and vitality in 48 hours. Order code little and is guaranteed to end your troubles in 5 days or money back. At all chemists.



# ATTEMPT TO SOLVE H. K. SOCCER DIFFICULTIES

## TWELVE TEAMS IN DIV. I IS SUGGESTED COMMITTEE CAUTIONED BY COL. HARRISON

### FULL REPORT OF DISCUSSION

(By "Veritas")

When the Council of the Hongkong Football Association met last evening at the Sports Club they discovered that the Management Committee, in its determination to find ways and means of assuring a smoother working of the forthcoming season, had adopted a proposal which was contrary to the majority voting at the annual meeting of the Association. For this a minute of caution (it was regarded as a censure by one member of the Council) was recorded, while at the same time the meeting adopted the minutes of the management committee.

And although this quaint position involved some considerable discussion, the principal point was that the management committee had decided to restrict the number of teams competing in the first division to 12, while there should be no limitation to the numbers taking part in the second and third divisions.

### NOT YET SETTLED

Even so it is not yet decided whether there will be twelve or more teams in the first division next season. The Appeals Board will probably hear appeals from clubs whose applications for admission to the senior division were turned down by the management committee. Should these appeals be made and succeed, the first division will be composed of 14 teams, as last season.

The management committee reported that at its first meeting held a fortnight ago, it was agreed to limit the number of teams in the first division to twelve, while all entries for the second and third divisions should be accepted.

At a subsequent meeting an amendment was put forward that the first division should not be restricted in this manner, but this was defeated on the vote.

Col. H. C. Harrison, who presided, asked if the proposal to restrict the number of teams to twelve was put forward at the annual meeting.

Mr. W. Pryde said when he seconded the resolution at the management committee's first meeting for the reduction of teams to twelve, he had quite forgotten the annual meeting.

### WHY PROPOSAL WAS

Mr. McKelvie explained that the reasons which induced them to put forward and adopt the proposal was that the clubs were faced with the proposition of 122 league games to be played over 31 Saturdays. Quite a lot of clubs were not desirous of playing on Saturdays, therefore they had to evolve some means of seeing the season's fixtures were completed within scheduled time.

Mr. Pryde said that after he had voted for the restriction of teams, it was pointed out to him that the annual meeting had been against any such reduction, and he had accordingly put forward an amendment at the next meeting. He wanted to point out that although there were some teams who did not want to

play on a Sunday, there were plenty of teams who were prepared to do so.

Mr. H. K. Lee said that the impression left at the annual meeting was that the question of accepting any number of entries for a division, or limiting them to a certain number, was left to the management committee.

### CHAIRMAN'S MINUTE

The Chairman said he would like to have recorded on the minutes of that meeting a note to the effect that the Council wished to caution the management committee against passing resolutions connected with policy which are contrary to resolutions recently passed by the Council. The question of the limitation of the number of clubs in Division I was a case in point. If the machinery of the Association was to run smoothly, wishes of clubs had to be carried out, and the management committee (Continued on Page 9.)

### M.C.C. SECRETARY COMPLIMENTED

### Presentations To Mr. W. Findlay

London, Aug. 17. A presentation was made at the Kensington Oval to-day to Mr. W. Findlay on behalf of Cricket Boards of Control of Australia and South Africa, India and West Indies as a token of appreciation of his courtesy as Secretary of the Marylebone Cricket Club from 1920 to 1936 and as tribute to his services to empire cricket.

New Zealand have also made presentation to Findlay.—British Wireless.

## Stirring Defence Of Davis Cup



No wonder the spectators gasped when Fred Perry reached for the sky in endeavouring to take a ball from Adrian Quist in the Davis Cup final at Wimbledon. Perry won handsomely.

## How Austin And Perry Put England In Strong Position

(By H. S. Scrivenor)

### TEST MATCH

## INDIANS BAT BRIGHTLY IN FOLLOW-ON AT OVAL

### BREEZY DISPLAY

All-India's plight at the close of her 1st innings against England in the final Test match at the Oval to-day did not deter the visiting batsmen from indulging in care-free batting when they followed-on after the tea adjournment to-day.

When play closed they had scored 156 for the loss of three wickets and are now 93 runs in arrears with seven wickets intact.

Following-on with a deficit of 249, the Indians went out for runs and indulged in bold batting in spite of the adverse conditions.

Merchant was very enterprising and hit up 48 in 55 minutes, including five boundaries.

Anur Singh contributed a breezy 44 in 26 minutes, his best hits being seven fours.

Hammond caught Mustard Ali somewhat curiously, the ball first flying from Voo's left hand.

Hussain played to make 30 not out and Jinnai was twelve not out at close of play.

All India's second innings score now reads as follows.

### ALL-INDIA—SECOND INNINGS

Mustard Ali, c Hammond, b Allen	17
V. M. Merchant, c Worthington, b Allen	48
D. Hussain, not out	30
Amar Singh, c Sims, b Verity	41
Baqi Jinnai, not out	12
Extras	5
(for 3 wts.)	156

### YORKS' BIG WIN

London, Aug. 17. Yorkshire, who are once again on the road for the county cricket championship, scored another handsome victory to-day when they beat Somerset by an innings and 165 runs.

Somerset scored 139 (Bowes 5 for 37) and 76 (Bowes 5 for 20), while Yorkshire, in their one visit to the ground hit up 330.

Turner compiled 130 and Wood 97.

—Reuter.

## Jesse Owens Considering \$40,000 Offer

### SAILING FOR NEW YORK

London, Aug. 17. Jesse Owens, the sensational Negro American Olympic athlete, has announced that he is sailing for New York by the Queen Mary on Wednesday to consider professional offers.

Dan Ferris, Secretary of the A.A.U., announced that Owens is liable to be automatically suspended in the event of his not participating in the Stockholm athletic meeting.

Coch Larry Slider announced to-day that Owens has not yet turned professional, although he has been strongly tempted. Nevertheless he is definitely sailing for the United States on Wednesday.

A message from Hollywood states that Eddie Cantor announced that Owens has called him that the \$40,000 offer "sounds very attractive," and he is asking for further details.

United Press.

London, July 27. Everybody with any knowledge of Davis Cup history is aware that the side which can win both matches on the opening day of a tie is more or less on velvet, and that was the happy position of Great Britain, for on the first day of play H. W. Austin and F. J. Perry overcame the two Australians, J. H. Crawford and A. K. Quist, respectively in each case in four sets.

Of the two victories I rate Austin's as the higher, not so much because it was his first against his great rival, as because his brains and his skill combined enabled him to gradually to master and in the end overcome completely a man who at the start was just about reproducing the play of his vintage year, 1933, when he won the championship, beating Vines in the final.

Incidentally, Austin and Crawford met in the Davis Cup in that year, and Austin, like Crawford on Saturday, was mastered after the first set, but since then he has become the equal, at least, of any Davis Cup player in the world. This competition, with its pauses, suits him; a strenuous fortnight like Wimbledon suits him far less.

Quite early in the first set it became obvious that Crawford had the service put up to a high level of a double fault by Crawford, but he can pound a really hard one down to within an inch or two of the side or the middle line, and therein lies much virtue. He was also proving that off the ground he was more potent than Austin, and was consequently under no great need to go cruising up to the net. But I have a sort of idea that during the first set Austin was doing a little quiet stocktaking while keeping a hold on the game sufficiently well.

He had a job to win his service for 2-1, and lost it on the fifth game, picked up to 2-3 with the help of a double fault by Crawford, but went astern again on another dropped service game (3-4), and Crawford was out on his own at 4-4 to 15—a quick set of a little over 20 minutes.

The wind was high and according to its wont when it once gets inside the arena went wobbling around in eddies and probably caused a few "bloopers" from both ends which we did not expect to see.

In the second set Austin seemed to have arrived at a plan of campaign. He could press Crawford harder without hurting himself, so he rightly judged, and he accordingly proceeded to do so, giving Crawford much less time for "maturing his felonious little plans," and generally doing his best to make his life a burden to him. Crawford had to pull out two of his extra special services to "save the fourth game," and lost his service through double faulting to put Austin in the winning 4-2 position, and he made no bones about consolidating it at 6-3, 25 more minutes of sparkle.

### AUSTIN'S EARLY BREAK

Austin "broke" Crawford for 1-0 at the very beginning of the third set, just managed to pull off his own service for 2-0, and that was a point from which he never really looked back, but after he had gone easily to 6-0, because Crawford was now

failing to hold the rain took a hand. They played the fifth game out (5-0 to Austin) and then waited for about a couple of minutes while the net was being taken down and almost at once put up again. When they got going again Austin lost his service after being twice within a point of a love set, but won Crawford's to follow for 6-1, the time then being about 3.45, when the interval came.

Of the fourth set I need say nothing except that it was the logical outcome of Austin's dominance. Crawford's confidence had been shaken and he had become unstable and just a bit angry with himself as it seemed. Austin sailed through this fourth set, and actually clinched it at 6-1 with three love games running. By now Crawford, who at the start has hardly been doing a thing wrong was hardly doing anything right.

We expected Perry to beat Quist, and I personally could have wished that he had done it in a more convincing fashion. But perhaps I am apt to forget, like a good many other people, that the Quist of 1936 is a very different proposition from the Quist of 1935. One need only to recall the fine game which he played against von Cramm in the Interzone final to be reminded of that. He is great by reason of his confidently hit passing shots in defence, and in attack he is one of the finest volleyers in the game.

### BROKEN CONTINUITY

But I have no particular use for matches, viewed as stories, which take place in intervals between rain, and therefore I do not propose to enlarge upon this particular encounter, which gave the ground staff of the A.E.L.T.C. more opportunities than they probably altogether relished of displaying their proficiency in "padding out."

Let me say at once that I think Perry would have won this match sooner than he did if the play had been more continuous. He is a man who likes to get down to his job and see it through. He dislikes interruptions of all kinds, whether they are occasioned by the elements or the antics of irresponsible spectators, which on Saturday included a miniature fire in one of the stands.

Another of his traits is that he is imbued with the "I dare do all that man can do" spirit, and, with his limitations, he is nearly always able to pull out a sizzling winner from somewhere when it is really needed. But just because he is so secure in the knowledge of his prowess he is just a little apt to grow careless when things do not so greatly matter.

We saw indications of this on Saturday. Another thing we saw (Continued on Page 9.)

### Our Daily Golf Hint

Clean hitting—I cannot too often repeat this great truth—is the real secret of putting. It, and it alone, will secure that both strength and direction are right.

Jack White.

## FIRST-CLASS CRICKET AVERAGES

## No Important Changes

(Up To And Including July 25)

	Inns.	Out.	Runs.	Highst.	Avg.
Flaherty	24	11	1640	188	71.09
Lyland	27	6	1210	263	55.00
Townsend, L. V.	31	4	1238	142	46.25
Harbottle	23	4	817	145	43.00
A. Melville	16	0	688	142	43.00
R. C. M. Kington	19	1	765	110	45.25
Hendren	35	2	1397	202	42.38
Landridge, James	20	4	1074	157	41.30
N. B. Mitchell	26	3	939	207	40.82
Worthington	31	2	1174	174	40.82
Gimblett	36	5	1211	160	40.80
Parker	10	3	357	77	39.00
T. R. T. Holmes	30	2	1107	171	39.58
C. S. Dempster	24	4	787	164	39.35
N. W. D. Yardley	21	2	676	110	39.17
Compton, B.	19	2	659	109	38.76
Parks, H.	30	1	1334	257	38.11
Paiz	34	6	1060	110	36.76
T. H. Pearce	37	1	1313	160	36.47
Smart, C. (Glam.)	29	0	871	123	30.29
Harris	31	6	934	135	35.92
Cresswell	31	0	804	84	35.76
Verity	20	2	437	129	35.28
T. H. B. Smith	20	2	437	129	35.28
Paynter	30	7	1019	137	35.87
Andrews	33	1	1090	136	34.25
Harber	20	4	645	118	34.06
Armstrong	24	2	749	117	34.00

### BOWLING

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Avg.
Verity	703.1	284	1251	106	11.80
Copeland	672.8	161	1251	106	11.80
Larwood	487.5	118	1117	87	12.82
Smith, J. (Maid.)	651.9	180	1203	94	12.86
Howes	412.2	85	1124	75	14.18
Smalley	522	181	1403	98	15.65
Pipe, A. V.	451	174	1004	45	15.86
Townsend, L. V.	424	102	714	45	15.86
J. C. Clay	230.1	61	508	87	16.10
Gover	733.1	120	2196	133	16.51
Jackson	308.1	100	1403	88	16.90
Eastman	432.3	148	954	56	17.03
Nichols	487.2	97	1329	78	18.03
R. W. V. Bolin	355.8	82	997	58	17.18
Hammond, J. E.	209.5	64	712	41	17.36
Geary	600.4	111	1223	70	17.47
Vee	667.3	156	1647	98	17.67
Vee	1044.3	210	2179	123	17.68
Welland	674.1	116	1046	58	18.08
Verity	628.3	132	1610	89	18.08
Mayer	458.8	112	1004	60	18.23
Edson	315.8	60	892	46	18.75
G. O. Allen	1099.5	240	2204	121	18.95

### ALL-INDIA BATTING

	Inns.	Out.	Runs.	Highst.	Avg.
V. M. Merchant	20	4	1054	161	56.87
C. Ramaswami	12	3	615	127	38.33
Amar Singh	9	0	209	77	29.85
Major C. K. Nayudu	9	0	822	83	28.54
L. H. Jal	18	2	292	85	25.63
S. Wale Ali	16	3	280	85	23.33

### BOWLING

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Avg.
Amar Singh	207.4	78	365	22	16.59
Mahomed Nisar	430.3	101	1240	81	22.94
V. M. Merchant	46.5	15	172	7	24.77
C. K. Nayudu	98	7	485	17	28.58
S. Banerjee	208.3	23	781	27	27.97
Maj. C. K. Nayudu	335.1	46	1011	37	27.32

## INTERPORT LAWN BOWLS PLANS FIXED

## Nine Matches For H.K. Team

At a meeting of the Shanghai Lawn Bowls Association held on Monday last the Interport programme against Hongkong in September was issued.

The Hongkong Interport team will arrive in Shanghai by the S.S. Empress of Asia on September 9, owing to their late arrival on that date no match has been arranged. The team will leave again for Hongkong on September 16. The following is the full programme of matches they will play:—

Monday, Sept. 7 Rees Recreation Ground (Rees green).  
Tuesday, Sept. 8 Lusitano Hong-kew Park (C. L. green).  
Wednesday Sept. 9 1st INTER-PORT Hongkew Park (P.L.B.C. green).

Thursday, Sept. 10 Country Club Country Club green.

Friday, Sept. 11 S.L.B.C. Recreation Ground (S.L.B.C. green).

Saturday, Sept. 12 2nd INTER-PORT Wayside Park (Y.L.C. green).

Sunday, Sept. 13 Hongkew G.C. Hongkew Park (H.G.C. green).

Monday, Sept. 14 3rd INTERPORT Recreation Ground (Rees green).

Tuesday, Sept. 15 Junior G.C. Golf Club green.

All matches will start at 3 p.m. The umpires will be T. G. J. d'Almeida and P. W. Ephgrave. The Interport dinner will be held on Monday, September 14, those wishing to attend are requested to send in their names to the Hon. Secretary of the Association by Friday, September 11.

### HANKOW INTERPORT

The team picked for Shanghai will leave on Friday, September 26 for Hankow. The names of those willing to make the trip are to be in the hands of the Hon. Secretary of the Association by August 18.

## NEW WORLD RECORDS SANCTIONED

## I.A.A.F. Recognize Five Made During Olympic Games

Berlin, Aug. 11. Five new world records set at the Olympic Games here last week have been officially recognised by the International Amateur Athletic Federation. The new marks are:

110-Metres Hurdles: Forrest Towns, U.S.A., 14.1 seconds.

1500-Metres Race: Jack Lovelock, New Zealand, 3 minutes, 47.5 seconds.

Hop, Step, and Jump: Naoto Tajima, Japan, 16 metres.

400-Metres Relay: Owens, Metcalf, Draper, Wykoff, U.S.A., 35.8 seconds.

Decathlon: Glenn Morris, U.S.A., 7,900 points.—Havas.

Lou Barry and Eric Phelps will meet for the English professional sculling championship over the Putney Mortlake course on September 5. Stakes are £200 sterling. Reuter.

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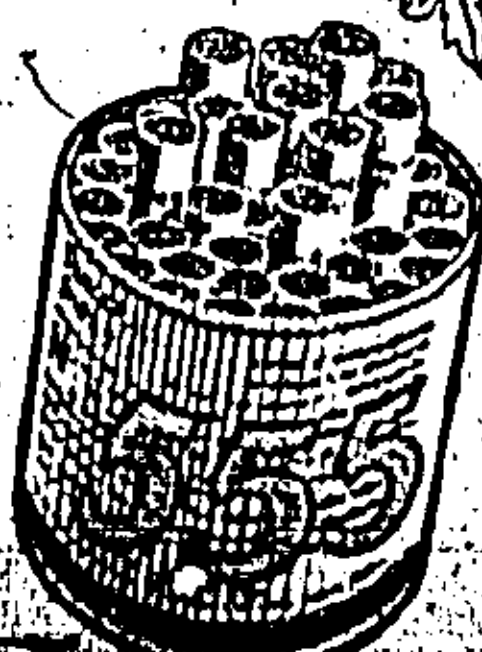
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## ELEANOR HOLM JARRETT DEFENDS HERSELF

"EVERYBODY KNOWS THAT I AM  
FOND OF CHAMPAGNE"

BUT PROTESTS SHE WAS MADE  
THE SCAPEGOAT

Berlin, July 27.

Beautiful twenty-two-year-old Eleanor Holm Jarrett, the American champion swimmer who has been dropped from the U.S. Olympic team because she broke training rules on the voyage over, paced up and down her hotel room here to-day and said:—

I have been made the scapegoat of the trip.  
"I never made any secret about the fact that I like a good time and that I am particularly fond of champagne."

"Every one knows that, including the Olympic Committee. Why did they have to wait until we were out in mid-Atlantic before suddenly deciding that my conduct was unbearable, or that I was a bad influence on the rest of the boys and girls?"

"There are at least a hundred offenders, one way or the other."

### OPEN BAR

"There were cocktail parties every night on board and the athletes as a whole received little attention from the committee."

"There was no general rule against athletes drinking. The bar was open to them every night."

Mrs. Jarrett accused the United States officials of "disgracing themselves" at a "mock marriage" and "mock trial" on board. "These," she says, "were so shocking that many of the athletes walked out of the social hall."

She is remaining in Berlin considering a film offer from a British company and offers from newspapers to report the Olympics.

## BOXERS AND PROMOTERS

TO PAY NEW LEVY  
BY BOARD

At the annual meeting of the British Boxing Board of Control in London last month it was decided to impose a levy upon future contracts in certain tournaments. Colonel R. E. Myddelton presided over the meeting, which lasted five hours.

The Board decided that in all championship contests of Great Britain, British Empire, Europe and the world, and also from all tournaments at which the gross takings for admission are £2,500 or more, when promoted in Great Britain, five per cent of the gate receipts, after entertainment tax has been deducted, shall be paid by the promoter to the British Boxing Board of Control.

**REFEREE'S FEES**  
The money shall be paid as follows:

Five per cent of the money received by each boxer, after deducting £50 training expenses, contesting the championship chief contest, and the balance by the promoter.

In the event of the gate receipts being less than the amount stipulated and paid to the boxers (jointly) five per cent of the boxers' money only to be paid. The B.B.B. of C. will supply referee, timekeeper, inspectors, gloves and bandages, in addition to belts, cups or emblems and pensions as hereafter given.

Referees' fees will be charged on a rising scale. For purses up to £100 the fee will be three guineas; up to £500 one guinea to be added for each additional £50, up to £2,000 one guinea to be added for each additional £100, and over £2,000 the fee will be settled by the Board.

The deductions will apply to championship promotions, whether they include championship contests or not. Lord Lonsdale has agreed to invest his name in Lord Lonsdale Belts in perpetuity to the B.B.B. of C. A resolution was passed that the new belts must always remain to be passed on to the various winners, and any man winning one belt three times should be given a replica of the trophy.

Alterations to rules include a clause that a registered boxer under the Board must be over the age of sixteen years.

## OLYMPIC GAMES

Germany Announces  
Herself Winner

U.S.A. SECOND

Berlin, Aug. 16.  
Germany announces herself to be the winner of the Olympic Games with 580.75 points.

The United States, however, may be expected to dispute this, for many of Germany's points are from minor events such as city planning, art, and kayak racing.

Hence the Americans also are proudly pointing to their record.—United Press.

UNOFFICIAL STANDINGS  
POINTS WON BY ALL THE  
COMPETING COUNTRIES

Germany	580.75
United States	470.5/6
Italy	186 13/22
Sweden	167 1/11
Hungary	158 2/11
Japan	153 13/22
France	152 9/10
Finland	145 1/4
Holland	136 1/13
Great Britain	115 1/11
Austria	99 2/11
Canada	55 13/22
Argentina	53
Switzerland	50
Czechoslovakia	48
Poland	47
Estonia	46
Denmark	41 1/2
Norway	41
Egypt	36
Turkey	19 1/5
Belgium	18
Latvia	11
Rumania	11
India	10 1/2
New Zealand	10
Philippines	9
South Africa	9
Brazil	6
Australia	5 1/3
Portugal	4 1/5
Luxembourg	4
Chile	3
Greece	2
Uruguay	1

—United Press.

## AMERICAN TENNIS

Donald Budge Becomes  
Eastern Champion

New York, Aug. 16.  
Bobby Riggs, the Los Angeles high-school boy, who caused a sensation in the semi-finals of the Eastern Grass-court tennis championship at Rye by beating Bryan (Bile) Grant, was defeated in the final today when he met Donald Budge.

Riggs won the first set from the Wimbledon semi-finalist, but thereafter he was soundly beaten.

The scores were 6-8, 6-2, 6-4 and 6-3 in favour of Donald Budge.

### WOMEN'S SINGLES

Madame Sylvia Henrotin of France won the Women's Singles title when she defeated Miss Helen Pedersen, of Stamford, Conn., by 6-7, 6-2, 4-2.

Another sensation was caused in the final of the Women's Doubles by the defeat of Miss Caroline Babcock and Mrs. J. Van Ryn at the hands of Miss Dorothy Workman and Miss Dorothy May Sutton Bundy, of California, who won by 6-2, 10-12 and 6-2.—United Press.



Mrs. Eleanor Holm Jarrett.

## Stirring Defence Of Davis Cup

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was that there were times when he (Perry) was hard put to it to prevent Quist every now and again from coming out on top. But, as I have indicated, it was not a really satisfactory match.

They began at 4.30, and, after Perry had won the first game (serving), rain stopped them until 5.10, when Perry won Quist's service for 2-0, and only dropped one more game (during which Quist served nicely) while going out at 6-1. Quist then got his knife in and was leading by 4-2 when, with the score at 30-30 in the next game, rain caused another break from 5.40 to 6.5.

Winning against the service in the adjourned game (4-3 to Quist), Perry squared at 4-4, but was down again (4-5), and then lost his service to give Quist the set by missing a smash. Not so good.

The third set was a most peculiar one. Perry, partly put off by extraneous happenings, became involved in the thrush of an ominous set-back, during which Quist, while going to 5-1, master of the situation, and playing what looked to be (for the time being) a winning game.

### A SUDDEN SWING OVER

Then, suddenly, there was a swing over. Quist began to falter and to fail (1 w) der whether it was a case of the familiar "This is too good to be true complex?" and Perry simultaneously regained his health and strength. He actually won that set from 1-5 down with a run of 6 games, and there is not much doubt that he was lucky, while doing so but he also brought out his brave shots with unerring verve when they were needed. And do we not all know that fortune favours the brave? Perry's "break" which took him to 6-5 was a masterpiece.

They retired (at 6.40) for the ten minutes interval and then Perry came back to put paid to Australia's account for that day, at any rate, at 6-2.

In the fourth game Perry was faulted on a second service from the service end, not by the foot fault judge, but by the man in charge of the half-court line. Perry, either because he was out to plant one "down the middle" or else in order to dodge the shadows of the late afternoon, was serving from as near to the middle of the base-line as possible, and the middle man evidently thought that he had got a foot in forbidden ground. But his call of "fault" was just a trifle premature.

Perry had yet to hit the ball, and, hearing the call, stayed his hand, so that the blow which he was in the act of delivering did not materialise. Had the situation been a tense one, trouble might have arisen, for the referee might have been called upon to deal with a rather ticklish point of law under the rules for which there is probably a precedent, but of which I am not aware. However, Perry in the circumstances made no bones about the fault, chatted pleasantly with the linesman as to what he had done, and then went on to win the match.

## ATTEMPT TO SOLVE COLONY SOCCER DIFFICULTIES

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would be well advised to consult the Council in such cases.

The Chairman observed that in this case the management committee had gone contrary to the annual general meeting.

Lieut. Chaplin pointed out that if the number of teams in the first division was not reduced, the season would extend into the middle of June. The only reason why this did not happen last season was because in one case the Recreio had refused to play after a certain date, and another because with the Chinese going to Berlin, a large number of mid-week matches were played.

Mr. McKelvie said it was ridiculous that football in Hongkong should be played in the middle of May.

Mr. G. Shee said he thought it would be fairer to the management committee if it was stated that the committee, although agreeing with the principle of non-limitation of teams in all divisions, found that special circumstances led them to believe that it would be better if for at least that season, the number of teams in the first division should be restricted to twelve.

Mr. McKelvie pointed out that the scheme was a trial, and was not a hard and fast rule.

### CAUTION NOT CENSURE

The Chairman said the management committee had to be careful when it came to a question of policy and in regard to rules. The Council did not want to take any power out of the committee's hands, but it was the duty of the Council to see that the wishes of the annual general meeting be carried out.

Mr. H. K. Lee said he emphatically objected to that statement. It was tantamount to a censure.

Col. Harrison: It is not a censure; it is a caution. You can object all night if you like.

Mr. Lee: I do object.

Mr. Guingam enquired what were the reasons for the management committee rejecting the application of Eastern Athletic and Kowloon Chinese Football Club for membership of the first division. If they went before the Appeals Board they knew why they were there. Doubtless the Committee had a good reason for turning down the application, but he thought the clubs should know what it was.

The Chairman:—Because there is a limited number of teams in the division.

At this point the discussion on the limitation of teams was terminated, the position apparently being that the event of there being no appeal

by Eastern Athletic and Kowloon Chinese F.C., or in the event of such appeals being unsuccessful, the first division next season will be limited to twelve teams.

**MORE PROBLEMS.**  
The next business of importance was the fixing of an opening date of the 1936-37 season.

Mr. T. G. Stokes moved that it be the last week in September.

Mr. Warren pointed out that the Navy could not hope to start their fixtures until the middle of October. There would not be 200 people in Hongkong all told up to that time.

Mr. Stokes:—They can play mid-week matches.

Lieut. Chaplin:—Who against? Some teams don't want to play mid-week.

Mr. G. Shee:—South China's first team will not be back until November.

Mr. Stokes:—Then they must pick up the last month's fixtures as quickly as possible.

Lieut. Chaplin said he doubted whether there would be sufficient number of grounds to fulfil all of the matches. If there were postponements, they would find there were not enough grounds available.

Col. Harrison enquired that if working on the basis of twelve teams in the first division, what was the latest time they could start the season.

Mr. McKelvie suggested the last Saturday in September.

Mr. Warren said he would like the Association to arrange that the Navy should not be called upon to play their matches until October as they would not be here.

Mr. McKelvie in extending the argument that many teams did not like to play on Sunday, and could not during the week because of business calls, emphasised that no team could be compelled to play on a Sunday.

Mr. Warren:—But we can compel you to play during mid-week. Finally it was decided that the season should officially start on the last Saturday in September.

New York, Aug. 16.  
Mike Jacobs, boxing promoter of the Twentieth Century Club, announces that the sale of tickets during the week-end indicates that 40,000 spectators will see the fight between Jack Sharkey and Joe Louis, which has been scheduled for Tuesday, August 18.

It is expected that the gate receipts will total \$220,000. The "Brown Bomber" has been made an 8-5 favourite to win.—United Press.

## Another Sad Story Of English County Cricket

Thousands of Pounds Lost  
By Clubs

London, July 25.

"Considerable bright intervals" is the best that can be said of the week-end weather prospects. Another rain-bringing disturbance is likely to reach Britain from the Atlantic within 36 hours.

After that paragraph of gloom a whole chapter is provided by the financial losses of the county cricket clubs this season through the long succession of "no play" days.

Not a ball was bowled throughout the land on Thursday—the worst day in first-class cricket for more than four years. Below is the dreary story told in terms of £. s. d.

**SURREY—£3,000**

"The weather has interfered with most matches," an official at the Oval said.

**NOTTS—£2,500**

Notts are experiencing the worst summer since 1907. At the third day of the Glamorgan match at Trent Bridge yesterday, after a blank day on Thursday, the attendance was less than 500.

**YORKSHIRE—£2,000**

Rain has already cost Yorkshire well over £2,000.

During the season six days' play have been lost in home matches. Apart from two early rain-outs at Lord's and Swansea—the team have not had a clear three-day match.

**LANCASHIRE—£1,500**

Lancs. have not suffered quite so badly as the White Rose county. Capt. R. Howard, the secretary, said the club had lost between £1,200 and £1,500 through rain so far.

**DERBYSHIRE—£1,500**

Derbyshire's loss this season compares with an improvement of £1,000 during a similar period last year. This depressing story of losses continues:

**Leicestershire** ..... £1,000

**Northamptonshire** ..... 800

**Sussex** ..... 500

**Gloucestershire** ..... 500

**Hampshire** ..... 250

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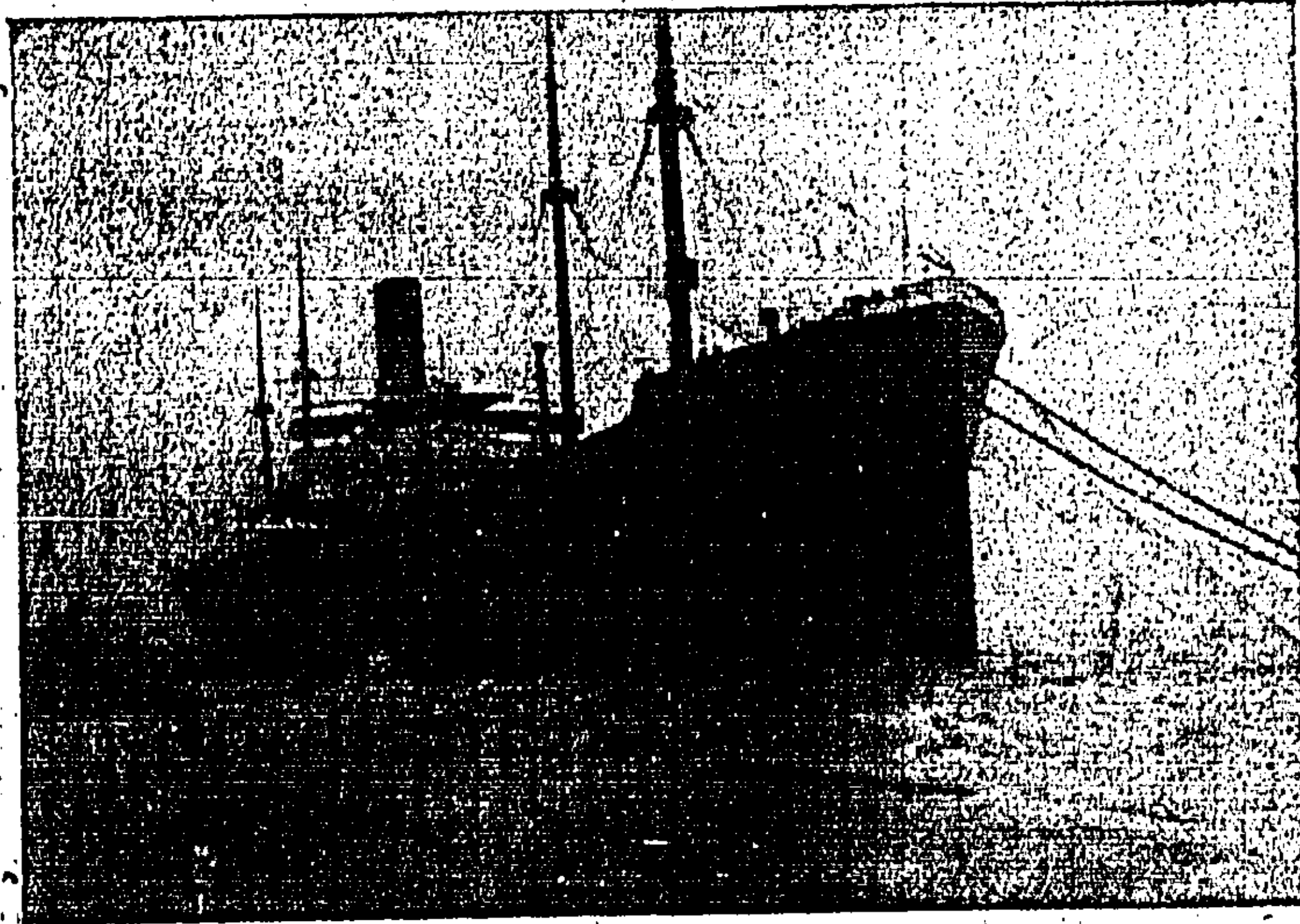
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IN PICTURES  
FROM FAR AND NEAR

# Hongkong Telegraph

## PHOTONEWS

HAPPENINGS  
AS SEEN BY  
THE CAMERA'S EYE

### TYPHOON HAVOC—EXCLUSIVE PHOTOGRAPHS



The Dollar Steamship Company's vessel Chief Capilano, which dragged its anchor to the China Light and Power Company's wharf at Hung Hom. It was refloated, undamaged, yesterday afternoon.



All that remains of the river ferry steamer Shun Mon, which was blown against the Dairy Farm wharf at Lai-chikok and battered into matchwood. Five men were saved.



These two cars were left outside the Peninsula Hotel on Sunday night. The picture tells its own story.



A scene on the island during the height of the floods. IN CENTRE—The Chinese Custom's Cruiser-Hoi Chow aground in Kowloon Bay, alongside a Chinese tenement. On the left is the hulk of a British submarine wrecked in the 1923 typhoon.



This was once popular Lai-chikok beach and a 80 ft. roadway that skirted it. The entire reclamation has been washed away to a depth of 200 feet.

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E/Asia	Sept. 4	Sept. 6	Sept. 8	Sept. 10	Sept. 12		Sept. 21
E/Canada	Sept. 18	Sept. 20	Sept. 23	Sept. 25	Sept. 27	Oct. 2	Oct. 7
E/Russia	Oct. 2	Oct. 4	Oct. 6	Oct. 8	Oct. 10	Oct. 19	Oct. 19
E/Japan	Oct. 16	Oct. 18	Oct. 21	Oct. 23	Oct. 25	Nov. 3	Nov. 3
E/Asia	Oct. 30	Nov. 1	Nov. 3	Nov. 5	Nov. 7	Nov. 16	Nov. 16
E/Canada	Nov. 13	Nov. 15	Nov. 18	Nov. 20	Nov. 22	Dec. 2	Dec. 2
E/Russia	Nov. 25	Nov. 27	Nov. 30	Dec. 1	Dec. 3	Dec. 12	Dec. 12
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#### YESTERDAY'S CABLED QUOTATIONS

The following quotations are the middle prices at the close of the market in London on Aug. 17. All quotations are subject to confirmation and no responsibility is assumed for errors in transmission.

	Last To-day's Price	Price
War Loan 3½% redm. after 1952	£100 3/4	£100 3/4
Chinese 4½% Bonds 1893 (Eng. Iss.)	£103	£103 3/4
Chinese 5% Gold Bonds 1925-47	£ 80 1/2	£ 80 1/2
Chinese 4½% Loan 1903	£ 90 1/2	£100
Chinese 5% Loan 1912	£ 80 1/2	£ 80
Chinese 5% Recog. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.)	£ 92	£ 92
Chinese Imperial Rly. 5%	£ 95	£ 95
Honan Rly. 5%	£ 60	£ 63 1/2
Hukwang Rly. 1911 5%	£ 52	£ 52
Lung Tsing U. Hal. Rly. 1913 5%	£ 20 1/2	£ 20
Shanghai-Nanking Rly. 5%	£ 75 1/2	£ 70
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Brit. Spd.)	£ 48	£ 48
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Ger. Spd.)	£ 47	£ 47 1/2
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Brit. Spd.)	£ 47 1/2	£ 47 1/2
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Ger. Spd.)	£ 47	£ 47 1/2
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1907	£ 81	£ 80 1/2
Japan 6% Sterling Loan 1924	£ 89 1/4	£ 88 3/4
German 7% International Loan 1924	£ 50 3/4	£ 50 1/2
Chartered Bank of I. A. & C. ...	£ 15	£ 15
H.K. & Shanghai Banking Corp. (Ldn. Regd.)	£101 1/4	£101 1/4
Chinese Engineer-		

log & Mining (bearer)	10/3	10/3
Chowin Corpn.	30/6	10/7 1/2
Chen Syndicate	2/9	2/9
Chai Electric Construction Co.	48/-	45/6
Shai. Waterworks "A"	35 1/4	34/6
Union Insurance Soc. of Canton	33 1/2	23 1/2
Gala Kalmpong Rubber	28/3	28/3
Allied Ironfounders	38/-	35/0
Associated & Electrical Industries	55/-	55/-
Austin Motors ord.	54/3	54/6
Boots Pure Drug	52/3	57/0
Brit.-Amer. Tob. (bearer)	121/3	121/3
Cammell, Laird, ord.	15/-	14/9
Mexican Eagle	20/0	25/0
Courtaulds	50/-	50/-
Distillers	105/0	105/6
Dunlop Rubber	34/0	36/0
General Electric (England)	85/0	83/0
Guinness (A) Son	152/-	150/-
Hawker Aircraft Bristol Aeroplanes ord.	28/0	28/0
Imp. Chemical Industries	40/1 1/2	40/-
Imperial Tobacco Marks & Spencer	168/0	168/0
"A" ord.	90/-	90/-
O.K. Bazaars	53/0	53/-
Rolls Royce	173/0	173/0
Fate & Lyle	89/0	89/0
Turner & Newall	102 1/2	101/0
United Steel	35/1 1/2	35/3
Vickers ord.	33/1 1/2	33/3
Woolworths	140/0	141/-
Anglo-Dutch	27/3	27/1 1/2
Rubber Plantation Investment Trust	31/3	31/3
Burns Corp.	10/0	10/0
Commonwealth Mining	9/1 1/2	9/-
Marsman Investments	37/0	36/0
Randfontein Estates	77/0	77/3
Spring Mines	40/-	40/-
Sub-Nigel	243/0	242/6
Tanami Gold Mining	1/3	1/3
Anglo-Iranian	88/0	88/0
Burmah	87/6	87/0
Shell Transport and Trading (bearer)	104/4 1/2	104/4 1/2
Chinese 5% Sterl. Inv. Notes 1923 (Vickers)	24	24
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#### LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

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	New York Cotton
October	11.71/75
December	11.78/82
January	11.82/86
March	11.87/91
May	11.94/98

	July	August
Spot	11.70a	11.69a
	12.00	12.43
September	16.25/26	16.11/12
October	16.20a	16.14a
December	16.37b/38a	16.23/23
January	16.40a	16.26/26
March	16.48b/60a	16.30/30
May	16.55b/67a	16.42b/44a
July	16.63a	16.50a
Total sales	—740 tons.	

#### Chicago Wheat

	September	October
September	111 1/4/111 1/4	113 1/4/113 1/4
October	110 3/4/111	112 3/4/112 3/4
December	108 3/4/109	110 3/4/110 3/4
May	108 3/4/109	110 3/4/110 3/4
Saturday's sales	20,692,000 bushels.	

	September	October
Chicago Corn	108 1/8/108 1/8	111 1/4/112
December	95 1/4/95 1/4	98 3/4/98 3/4
May	91 1/4/91 1/4	94 3/4/94 3/4
Wheat	100 3/4/101	102 1/4/103
October	100 3/4/101	111 1/4/111 1/4
December	99 3/4/99 3/4	102 1/4/102 1/4
May	101/101	102 1/4/102 1/4

#### COLLISION IN FOG

San Francisco, Aug. 17. The cruiser Marblehead and the Dutch steamer Mandern collided in fog off the southern California coast and both are slightly damaged. United Press.

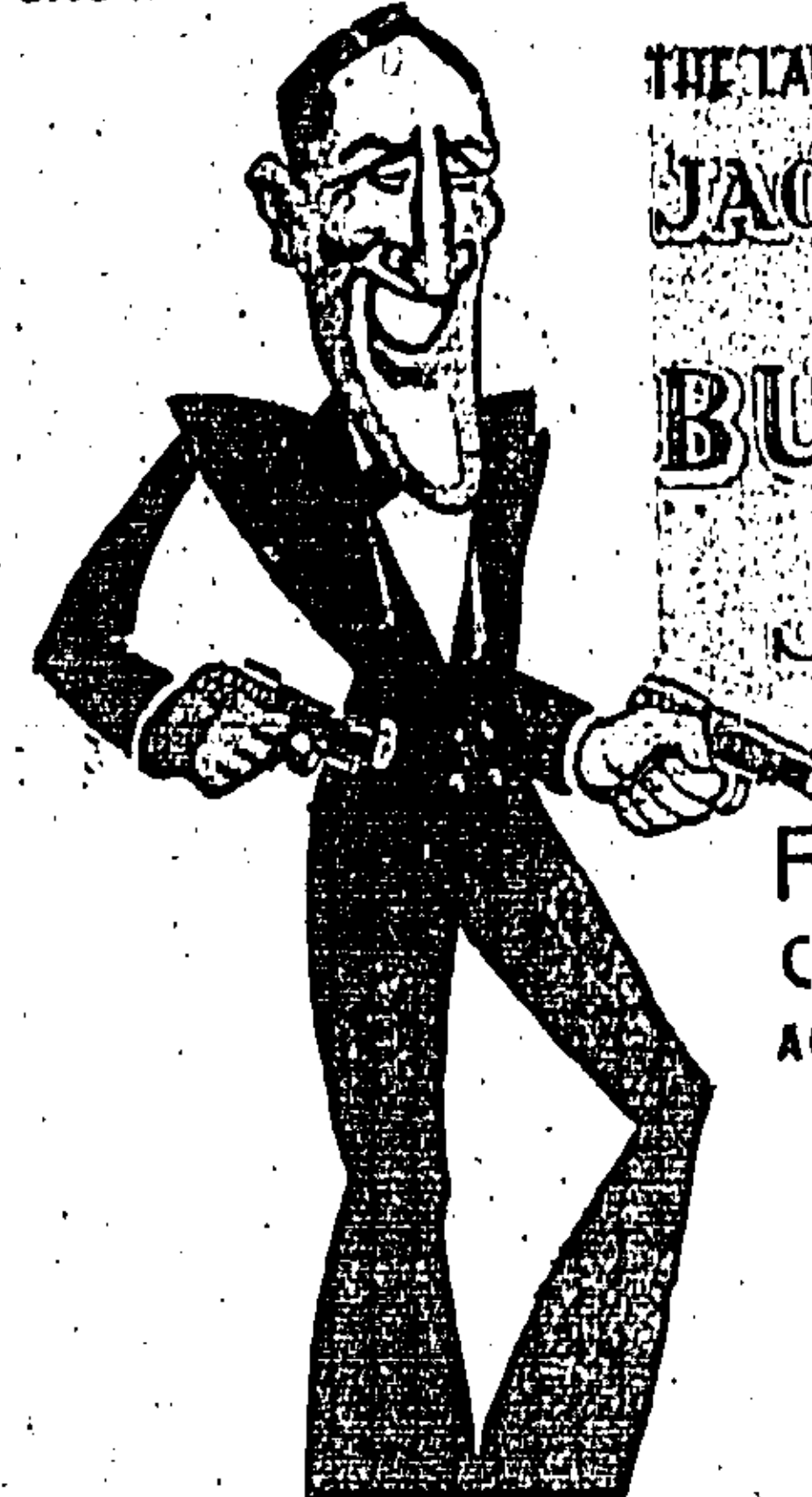


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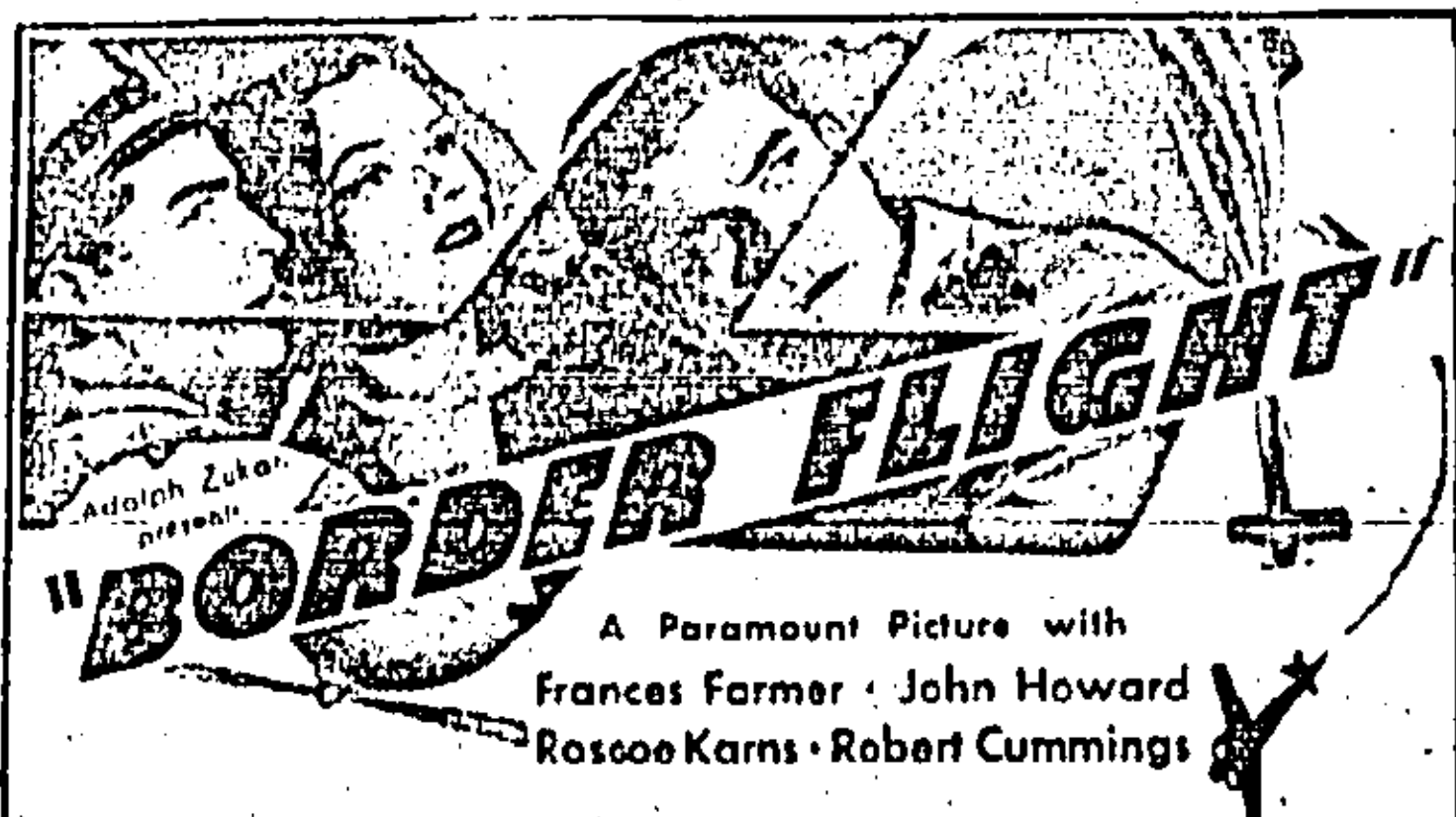
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## TYPHOON STAGGERS MACAO

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(By a Special Representative)

Macao, Aug. 17. Macao has been literally staggered by the worst typhoon which it has experienced within the last fourteen years, the disturbance passing close to the Colony in the early hours of this morning.

The first harbinger of the storm was the heavy rain of the big Macao fishing fleet, forming a picturesque procession, as they sailed into harbour, tacking laboriously, with their majestic brown sails spread to the wind. This lasted two hours, and some late comers, unable to find quick anchorage, were blown adrift in the rising gale.

The river steamer, Kin Shan, managed to get away at 5 p.m. but all other craft were detained for the night.

The typhoon seemed to "arrive in person" at midnight, and the wind raged throughout the night, reaching a velocity of 120 miles per hour at times, to the accompaniment of rough seas and heavy rain.

At 7 a.m. the waterfront presented a scene of desolation such as not seen for fourteen years, being submerged by the high tide which rose to within three feet of first floor verandahs, flooding every house and shop in its wake. Further along, a large restaurant building had collapsed completely in a mass of ruins.

### WHARVES DISAPPEAR

Shipping wharves had disappeared, only the roofs of their numerous sheds being visible above the water. Wreckage and debris of all sorts were strewn high ashore and in the harbour, while a derelict sampan in flames was carried swiftly along by the current.

By 8 a.m. rain had ceased and the high tide receded a little, and I went ashore in a sampan which sailed across the waterfront and entered a side street, where other sampans were sheltering. A good way up the street I disembarked, and with water above my knees went exploring in the town.

There was water everywhere, over a good part of the main thoroughfare, up to the Victoria Harbour, and many side streets were completely inundated.

Further scenes of desolation and destruction met the eye—flooded shops and houses, electric wires and Chinese shop signs hanging down, shop windows broken in, pieces of wood and other debris and jetsam strewn all round.

As the tide finally receded, there was great activity among the Chinese in salvaging their belongings, and also numbers of sightseers in motor-cars.

### ELECTRICITY DAMAGE

While taking a long drive later in the day, I saw extensive damage done by the typhoon everywhere. Many trees were uprooted, including one great hoary banyan tree, while others were leaning across the road. Several electric standards were bent, and one immense advertising sign completely down. The damage to electric equipment was estimated at about \$30,000.

The Candrome was almost a ruin, and there was scarcely a swimming match to be seen on the sea front. Several of the buildings belonging to the Netherlands Harbour Board were roofless. Many parts of the sea wall at Barros Point were broken down, the force of the gale having carried the blocks of stone far across the road.

The typhoon left equally weather as an aftermath, and all shipping was at a standstill for the day.

### ANOTHER ACCOUNT

On the arrival in port of the s.s. Chuen Chow this morning, from Macao, Captain Thomas Brown, master of the vessel, gave a vivid account of the damage done by the typhoon in the Portuguese Colony.

He said: "In the early hours of Monday morning, the steamship wharves and the adjoining godowns became inundated to the extent of four feet, extending over an area as far as the Avenida Almeida Ribeiro. The well known M.E.L.C.O. automata electric sign was raised to the ground, although workmen with the aid of torches were dismantling what was possible at midnight.

"The town was soon thrown into a state of darkness lit up occasionally with a flare as an electric light fused and collapsed. The fire brigade were called out, during the height of the typhoon to quell a fire in the native quarter near the race-course. Two matched theatres recently erected opposite the Shing Cheong wharf collapsed like a pack of cards.

"Several fishing junks were in difficulties with fouled moorings and a sampan was observed upturned with seven men sitting astride scudding before the wind, have no knowledge of their whereabouts.

"The awning shade wood covering on the boat deck of the s.s. Chuen Chow was bodily lifted by the force of the wind and blown overboard. The sailings were suspended.

"The new reclamation adjoining the Praia Grande was a scene of desolation. Large junks and small sampans were left high and dry as the waters receded and yesterday afternoon small groups of pitiable women and children were seen huddled together, guarding their sole personal belongings out of the

## Sail To Sign New Treaty

EGYPT'S DELEGATES ON WAY TO LONDON

Cairo, Aug. 17. The Egyptian Prime Minister, Nuh Pasha, sailed to-day with the Egyptian delegation to London, from Alexandria, to sign the new Anglo-Egyptian treaty.

The delegation is expected to arrive in England on Sunday and will be the guests of the British Government.

Sir Miles Lampson, the High Commissioner, is also on his way home after negotiations in connection with the Anglo-Egyptian treaty.—Reuter Special.

London, Aug. 17. The Egyptian Premier Nuh Pasha, and part of the Egyptian delegation to London for the signature of the Anglo-Egyptian treaty, sailed from Alexandria this morning.

The entire delegation is expected to reach London on Sunday. Arrangements have been made for the delegates to stay at the Dorchester Hotel as guests of the British Government, and a programme of hospitality is being arranged.—British Wireless.

## YANKEES AGAIN DEFEATED

STILL KEEP BIG LEAGUE LEAD

New York, Aug. 17. The New York Yankees were again defeated to-day, though they still maintain a big lead over their nearest rivals for honours in the American League, Cleveland.

The Yankees fell before Washington's onslaught, the Senators hitting eleven times to score seven runs, while New York was hitting nine for five failures, aided by DiMaggio's home run. Yankees had three errors.

Cleveland, too, was beaten, though Trosky and Hale hit homers, Chicago scored a seven to three win. The Indians had three errors.

There were no games in the National League, rain postponing the Brooklyn-New York fixture.—Reuter.

## Help Sought For Suspect Eurasian Girl

Los Angeles, Aug. 17. The arrangement of Miss Wendi, a pretty Eurasian girl, whose parents are believed to be in Shanghai, was postponed for a few hours to-day while several local Chinese sought to engage counsel for the prisoner.

Maria told Judge Albert Stephens she did not know "whether my family knows I am in trouble."

She is held in connection with the alleged murder of a pretty, little Japanese actress.—United Press.

## Strange Tale Of Alliance

Canton, Aug. 18. A vernacular Chinese newspaper to-day carries the report that Kuang-shi leaders have effected an alliance with Soviet Russia.

The alliance is the result of negotiations carried out by General Chen Min-shu. It is stated.—United Press.

## ARABS MURDER THREE WOMEN

TWO NURSES VICTIMS OF VICIOUS ATTACK

Jerusalem, Aug. 18. Arabs attacked and killed two Jewish nurses who were reporting for duty at a Jaffa hospital to-day.

Later, Arabs killed a woman settler who was scouting from a watch-tower in the Ramathakoveh settlement.—United Press.

wreckage. The Pinla Grande was littered with branches of trees and some old veterans which have stood the test for many years were uprooted in all parts of the town.

"The main street, after the floods receded, were the scenes of great activity, sight-seers, and owners endeavouring to sort out their gear amongst broken flower-pots, palms and sign-boards which were now a mass of conglomerated rubbish."

### AT LEAST 11 DEAD

Manila, Aug. 18. At least eleven are dead in the wake of the typhoon which struck North Luzon Island.

Houses and crops are destroyed and famine is threatening the inhabitants.

The United States survey ship, Fathomer driven ashore before the full force of the storm struck, was higher ground after the typhoon's passing.

She is on the reef off Cap St. Vincent.—Reuter.

## Ethiopian Guerillas Undismayed

CONTINUE TO WAR ON ITALIANS

DR. HYLANDER'S ADVENTURES

Djibouti, Aug. 17.

Dr. Hylander, the heroic commander of the Swedish ambulance unit in Ethiopia, has arrived here with his force after wandering through Ethiopia in an attempt to reach Djibouti en route to Sweden.

Interviewed, Dr. Hylander stated that the war in Ethiopia was not over. His Dests and other Ethiopian leaders had sworn ceaseless guerrilla warfare against the conqueror.

Many times the members of the Swedish ambulance staff nearly lost their lives owing to being mistaken by the Ethiopians for Italians.—Reuter, Bulletin Service.

### Recognising Conquest

Addis Ababa, Aug. 17. The Turkish Charge d'Affaires has left Addis Ababa and has asked the Italian Viceroy Marshal Graziani, to look after the interests of the Turkish subjects in Ethiopia.

This indicates the first step in the recognition of Italy's conquest of Ethiopia.—Reuter Bulletin Service.

### LATE SUMMER IN ENGLAND

TEMPERATURE UP OVER WEEK-END

(Special To "Telegraph")

London, Aug. 17. Eastern and southern England were basking in the season's first heat wave this week-end.

On Saturday morning, Londoners awoke to the first cloudless, hazy day betokening summer's belated advent.

Over the week-end temperature climbed slowly into the eighties, and the beaches and every resort were crowded with city dwellers who, glum after months of sullen and cloudy weather, were brightening visibly.—Reuter Special.

London, Aug. 17. After six weeks of unseasonable weather, London and the South of England is enjoying a spell of sunny, hot weather, which seems likely to continue at least for several days.

Swimming pools and open air cafes, which have been poorly patronised so far this summer, were crowded to-day and nearly 10,000 people watch the England-All India test match at Oval—a much improved attendance compared with Saturday.—British Wireless.

## GESTURE OF FRIENDSHIP

GERMAN WARSHIP'S BELL RETURNED

(Special To "Telegraph")

Berlin, Aug. 17. "I am confident this bell will ring in a period of still closer friendship between our two countries," affirmed Captain Bedford of the British cruiser Neptune, at an interesting function at Kiel when handing over the ship's bell of the former German battleship, Hindenburg, to Admiral-General Rueder.

For some years the bell has hung aboard the British battleship Revenge. Captain Bedford explained that its return was a token of the friendship uniting the two navies.

In his reply, Admiral Rueder thanked the British Admiralty on behalf of the German Navy.—Reuter Special.

## AMBASSADOR OFFENDED

NAVAL OFFICERS IGNORE ORDERS

Washington, Aug. 17. The Army and Navy Journal in its current issue reports that the Department of State has ordered the American Ambassador in Spain to make his headquarters at Hendaye as a result of his reported "officiousness" while aboard the U.S.S. Cayuga, whose officers declined to accept his commands.

Mr. Bowers heatedly protested to the State Department.

It is noteworthy that naval commanders are solely responsible to their immediate superiors and are only required to give "due weight" to Consular advice and opinion.—United Press.

### DAKOTAS NEED HELP

Washington, Aug. 17. Mr. Andrew Williams, Deputy Work Administrator, said to-day that regardless of the favourable changes in weather conditions, approximately 75 per cent. of the total farm population of North and South Dakota will need relief, even as early as late autumn.—Reuter Special.

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